

## **Cohasset Historical Commission Minutes of Meeting**

**April 3rd, 2023**

Members present: Jacqueline Dormitzer, Jill Crafts, Martin St. John, and Megan Elder.

The meeting was called to order at 6:50.

Minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

### **Webpage Update**

Megan reviewed the recommended adjustments to the design of the webpage. The group was aligned to the changes. Megan will work with Justin Shrair on implementation and will let the group know when the page is ready to review.

### **Request for Comment on Scenic Road Work Permit Application for 355 Jerusalem**

The homeowner at 355 wants to take down two dying trees and prune back two on their property. The commission has no objections to this and only recommends replacing the two removed trees with the same type of tree and ones of reasonable maturity.

### **Historic District Proposal Ideas**

As discussed previously, it's ideal to select an area that is contiguous with the existing historic district yet is also geographically self-contained. It's also ideal that the area have an existing historical feel so people recognize it as a distinct area. We'd additionally want this area to be relatively small given all homeowners will need to be contacted and worked with. It was decided that extending the existing historic district down Elm Street toward the harbor would be a natural choice for this designation. As a next step, Jackie will be inviting members of the Select Board, Planning Board, ZBA, and Historical Society to our next meeting in May.

Our next meeting will be held on May 8th.

Meeting adjourned at 7:37 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Megan Elder, Secretary