



AGENDA

FRANKLIN HISTORICAL COMMISSION

Wednesday, Mar. 13, 2024

6:30PM @the Franklin Historical Museum

80 West Central Street, Franklin, MA

Meeting will be held in-person at the Franklin Historical Museum, 80 West Central St. Franklin MA and optionally via Google Meets.

Alan Earls, Chair, Mary Olsson, Vice Chair, Phyllis Malcolm, Treasurer, Will Lee, Secretary/Associate, Paul Pisani, Scott Mason, Jan Prentice, Randy LaRosa.

Call to Order

HEARING, 19 Dean Ave (Continued from Feb 21, 2024)

The applicant seeks permission to demolish the structure at 19 Dean Avenue. The applicant will again have an opportunity to explain their requests and any other interested parties will have an opportunity to comment. The Commission will be considering the matter under the provisions of the town's Demolition Delay Bylaw (Chapter 71 Demolition Delay, adopted by the Town Council of the Town of Franklin 1-22-2003)

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Regular Meeting --Wednesday, Mar. 13, 2024

Approximately 7:00 PM @the Franklin Historical Museum (immediately following demolition hearing)

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The following agenda includes a general list of items to be discussed but other items may be brought forward for discussion during the meeting.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES – Feb. 21, 2024

CITIZENS COMMENTS

APPOINTMENTS:

PRESENTATIONS:

FFHM Report

SUB COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- Treasurer's report
- Archivist update

- Second Sunday Speaker Series
- CPC Update

OLD BUSINESS

- Welcome display – short video or animated PowerPoint to help people understand what they are looking at, etc. Mary info from Almont Greene
- Facilities: Still waiting for any action on screen and several other items. Rowan has presented written list of needs to Kevin, Mike's assistant.
- Route 140 History Trail Progress Report
- Textile Team idea– Progress Report
- Silent Saturday update, Foreign Film Fridays
- Other programs: Calligraphy 2x in March, possibly more
- Piano tuned

NEW BUSINESS

- Meeting with FHS Social Studies Department
- April meeting of Cultural District at the museum
- Antique Appraisal Event for Friends in May
- Determine vendor/design for “Circa” Signs
- Etc.

COMMISSIONERS COMMENTS

ADJOURN