

MEMBERS:

Mary Neale, Chairman
Margaret Hartsough
Audrey Everdyke
Robert Kalbach
Candy Burson

The meeting began at 6:30 PM.

MINUTES:

Ms. Everdyke made a motion to approve the December 2, 2010 minutes, seconded by Ms. Hartsough. All members voted "aye" to approve.

There was not a January 2011 meeting held.

BOOKS:

Ms. Neale brought a list of books that were ordered to start the Historic Preservation library.

COMPUTER:

Mr. Kalbach was able to power up the computer and will try to review the file on it. The members will take a closer look at the file at their March meeting.

COMPREHENSIVE PLAN:

Ms. Neale and Ms. Hartsough have updated the historical information for the comprehensive plan. They reviewed and updated the current land use map and made necessary changes, such as the new location for the Quaker Meeting House's new location.

FARMINGTON ZONING BOARD:

Ms. Neale let the members know that there is an opening on the Farmington Zoning Board if anyone is interested.

HISTORICAL MARKERS:

Ms. Hartsough gave Mr. Ed McLaughlin a list of historic markers in the town that he will look at and see if they need painting or repairs.

HISTORIC HOMES:

Ms. Neale asked Ms. Burson if she would bring in current photo of her home.

Ms. Burson would like it stated in the minutes that she feels the Town of Farmington does not care about the historic homes in Farmington. She feels that they are unwilling to acknowledge or contribute anything towards them.

Ms. Burson told Ms. Neale that her husband, Mr. Reginald Neale's recently published book was incomplete. The book did not show all the historic homes in the town and that her home should have been included. Ms. Burson said that her home was left out of the book on purpose. The original owners of her home were the Wood family and that Dr. Wood was a very important man to this town. Ms. Burson said that the Town of Farmington does not recognize the importance of the history in the town.

Ms. Neale told Ms. Burson that Mr. Neale's book has no relation to the Historical Preservation Commission. A picture of the Wood family home is pictured on page 44 of the Farmington Historical book.

Ms. Burson said that she would hold her own inside house tour without the help of the Historic Preservation members. Ms. Burson was very accusing and disruptive at this meeting.

Ms. Neale made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:45, seconded by Ms. Burson. All members vote "aye" to adjourn.

The next meeting will be held on March 3, 2011.

Mary Richter, Clerk of the Board recorded the minutes.

