



HISTORICAL COMMISSION OF MILFORD

**Memorial Hall, School Street
Milford, MA 01757**



The Historical Commission meeting of February 12, 2014 was called to order by Robert Andreola, Chairman at 7:10 pm in Memorial Hall. Motion to accept the minutes as read was made by Pam Fields, seconded by Ron Marino. Motion was unanimous.

Jim Boudreau, representative of the Blaire House, was present at the meeting to request suggestions for a street name to replace the name Cemetery Street. Lighthouse Street was their idea because a lighthouse is their insignia which appears on all their stationery and business cards. It implies, "lighting the way."

The name Seena Heller Street was mentioned by Attorney Brian Murray who also asked for the Historical Commission's suggestions. The five names we are submitting are: Bickford Way, Scammell Way, Historic Avenue, Old Village Way (or Lane), and Heritage Way (or Lane).

Chris Skelly, Director of Local Government Programs, assists local historical commissions in historic preservation planning through helping towns identify and protect significant historic resources. His staff includes historians, architects, archaeologists, geographers, and preservation planners. He would like to set up a regional meeting for next year and requested information on space available in Memorial Hall. Lyn replied to him, after talking to Lenny Morcone, and responded that we could accommodate up to 120 in the GAR Hall.

Lyn suggested that we submit an article on the Town Warrant for \$1,000 for the internet if the town doesn't want to pay for it.

The book, "Images of America - Milford" was submitted to the publisher this week and should be available on the bookshelves by September. Deborah Eastman, librarian, Lyn and Anne wrote the book.

Ron brought to the meeting his red tail hawk that he carved and painted. It is something like 26" tall and is amazing to see. It belongs in a museum.

Motion to adjourn was made by Anne at 9 pm, seconded by Mary Villani. Motion was unanimous.

The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, March 12 at 7 pm in Memorial Hall.

Pam Fields' name was inadvertently omitted from last month's minutes.

Respectfully submitted,

Anne Lamontagne

Commissioners Present

Robert Andreola, Chairman

Lyn Lovell, Secretary

Pam Fields

Ron Marino

Mary Villani

Anne Lamontagne

Associate Commissioners

John Lowney

Guest

Jim Boudreau

