



HISTORICAL COMMISSION OF MILFORD

Memorial Hall, School Street
Milford, MA 01757



The Milford Historical Commission meeting of May 8, 2019, 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 Bob Samiagio. Motion was unanimous.

We will order a plaque recognizing Lyn with her picture and name the Reference Room in her honor.

Steve Zaloga was appointed commissioner this month to fill the vacancy.

Ackerman Monument will place a Stony Creek granite marker noting "Howitzer 1918" soon.

Jim Asam from the Park Department will remove branches from the lawn at the North Purchase District School. We plan on holding a lawn gathering at the schoolhouse, August 18, from 2 – 4 pm.

Catherine Marengi, author of *Glad Farm*, presented a program regarding Italian immigrants to Milford in the GAR Hall. It was sponsored by the Friends of the Library. Ron, Mike and Anne opened the Museum to visitors which was well attended.

We will order two new signs for the front door reading "Please Use This Door" to avoid confusion.

Mike Visconti sent an email quoting the fact that absent members should be listed on our minutes.

A mannequin will be ordered from Roxy Display similar to the ones used for the military uniforms.

The inventory listing of items in the Museum has been updated and printed.

Bob Andreola volunteered to sort out items donated from the Milford National Bank.

William Mack loaned his preservation book from Roger Williams College for use at the museum.

Ron, Mike and Anne volunteered to open the Museum on Memorial Day.

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

Respectfully submitted,
Anne Lamontagne

Commissioners Present

Robert Andreola, Chairman

Robert Samiagio, Treasurer

Anne Lamontagne, Recording Secretary

Pam Fields

Ron Marino

Steve Zaloga

Absent – Mary Villani

Associate Member

Jim Miller

Guests

Mike Danello

Mary Richards

William Mack