



Zechariah Boodey Farmstead Committee Meeting Minutes

March 11, 2018

Present: Tatiana Cicuto, Scott Drummey, Fran Frye, Cathy Orlowicz and Sherry Cullimore

The meeting convened at 10:00 am at the New Durham Town Hall.

Tatiana left the meeting at 11:30 am.

There was some discussion regarding a recent article in the Baysider, "A Trojan In New Durham". This was printed just prior to the town elections and many mistakes were presented in the article. A response will be posted on the town website and the Z. Boodey Facebook page which will correct the misinformation.

Some changes:

- The transition from 1st to 2nd paragraph with some changes in the wording in 2nd paragraph.
- Went over several bullet points, i.e., \$800,000.00 was a budgetary quote and not a taxpayer quote.
- Legal counsel determined the voters must accept the gift of the barn in town meeting setting because it is a real property.

There was consensus on the written clarification of misinformation recently printed in a letter to the editor in the Baysider. An edited response to this letter will be read at the March 13, 2018 Board of Selectmen's (BOS) meeting in Town Hall at 7pm. The BOS will also receive revised plans, based on input from the representative from the NH Fire Marshall Office of the Boodey Farmstead, as discussed and approved by vote during the February 26th meeting.

The minutes from February 26 will be tabled until the March 29 meeting.

The Revolution Taproom and Grill, in Rochester, has agreed to support us with a fundraiser, on either a Thursday or Friday night time slot. They will donate 10% of their take for that designated night. Thanks to Scott for this idea! Placards will be printed up describing our project; we can use the restaurant's logo on our ads. Cathy will put together something for them. Scott will check on either using April 12 or April 10 or April 20.

Cathy is working on a history of the Boodey Family and house for us to read and use in our talking points when we are explaining the project to others. Scott and Cathy will have a Support the Boodey Farmstead sign made to hold outside the elections.

Tatiana left at 11:30 am. The next meeting will be March 29, 2018 at 6pm at the New Durham Town Hall. The meeting adjourned at 12:35pm.

Sherry Cullimore, Scribe

Approved with amendments March 29, 2018
Retyped by C E Orlowicz, Chair.