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Uxbridge Historical Commission  
Meeting Minutes  
February 20, 2018

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Town Clerk

Members present: Mary Beauchamp, Francis Cove, Peter Emerick, Faye McCloskey

Members absent: William Albin, Roy Henry, David Moriarty

Meeting called to order at 3:15 PM

Minutes for the December 12, 2017 meeting were read by Faye McCloskey. A motion was made by Peter Emerick to accept the report, seconded by Mary Beauchamp and followed by a unanimous vote in favor.

Old Business:

1. The electrician fixed the outdoor lights.
2. Peter Emerick gave a report on a post and beam shed from Barnyard Horizons. They had a 30' X 30' post and beam shed for \$25,000. He will continue exploring.

New Business:

1. Because the Cornet John Farnum House comes under a municipality, it is subject to the Procurement Law, Chapter 30. Francis Cove would like to involve the New Town Manager, Angeline Ellison, to help with writing grants, bids and choosing a professional architect, who works with restoring historic buildings and other professionals in the restoration of historic houses. Also, he would like the Town Manager to attend the next meeting.
2. Faye McCloskey reported that the Historic District Study Committee submitted the Preliminary Report for extending the Historic District to the Mass. Historic Commission. They replied that it was approved and complete. A final report will need to be approved at the Annual Town Meeting May 8, 2018 by a 2/3 vote and by the Attorney General.
3. Peter Emerick explained that the cannon on the Common, a 1917 German World War I Knell Rifle, will be sent <sup>out</sup> over for repairs. It is believed to be 1 out of 3 left. The Charles A. Rice Post 33, American Legion, presented it to the Town of Uxbridge on November 11, 1973.

Next meeting will be March 20, 2018 at 3 PM at the Cornet John Farnum House.

Motion to adjourn was made by Mary Beauchamp, seconded by Francis Cove and followed by a unanimous vote in favor.

Meeting adjourned at 4:15 PM

Respectfully Submitted,

*Faye McCloskey*  
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