

**Gloucester Community Preservation Committee  
Minutes of August 18, 2015 Meeting**

**Members Present:** Catherine Schlichte, Stacy Randell, Scott Smith, Henry McCarl,  
David Rhineland

**Members Absent:** Bill Dugan, John Feener, Charles Crowley, Barbara Silberman

**Staff:** Debbie Laurie, Senior Project Manager

The Meeting was opened by Stacy Randell, co-chair, just after 6:00 pm.

**Approval of Minutes**

The minutes from the June 23, 2015 meeting of the CPC were reviewed.

Motion made by Mr. Rhineland to Accept the Minutes as written.

Motion seconded by Ms. Schlichte

Motion Passed

There was a brief discussion regarding the upcoming meeting of the City of Gloucester Budget and Finance Committee. There is no need for CPC members to attend; the full City Council meeting is the one that we should attend.

**Recap of the Status of Rounds One through Five**

Ms. Laurie discussed the status of outstanding awards.

St. Ann's: Discussion regarding the return of the \$50,000 award for St. Ann's Church. The church is not sure they will be able to do the work as planned. They have uncovered more pressing needs for the structure. The foundation and facade are more crucial.

Magnolia Library: The project is due to go out to bid in the Fall.

Burnham's Field: The work will be completed in the next week or so.

Cape Ann Museum: The work will be starting soon.

Oak Grove Cemetery: The digital mapping is progressing along.

City Hall WPA Murals: There is a need to clarify the approach to the work.

**New Business**

Discussion regarding the CPC signs. The sign for City Hall is missing. May need to reprint signs to eliminate the mayor's name. Current signage has the name of the former mayor.

## **My View Column**

There will be continued My View columns in the paper on a regular basis regarding CPA and the city. Potential columns to be by Mr. Rhineland and Ms. Silberman. Councilor Melissa Cox could write about Burnham's Field.

## **Next Meeting**

September 15, 2015 at 6:00 pm, City Hall's 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Conference Room

The meeting was adjourned at 6:45 pm.

Respectfully Submitted Scott Smith

Materials Issued at meeting:

1. Draft June 23, 2015 minutes
2. Status Report of 2014 CPA Awards
3. Status Report of 2013 CPA Awards