

Raymond Historical Society

Board of Directors Meeting

May 22, 2019

Meeting opened at 4:01 PM with the pledge of Allegiance

Present : President David Hoelzel, Sr , Will Fergosi, Sally Paradis, Marge Desjardins, Art Wolinsky, Kathleen Hoelzel Absent Bette Goldwaithe, Joyce Wood,

Dates to remember: Collections / Donations for Aunt Abigail's Attic held on June 8th and June 22nd , 1-3 PM ; Aunt Abigail's Attic on July 12th, 13th and 14th. Pancake breakfast on August 24th ; September 14th chili cook-off, Car show by the American Legion, possibly Old Home Day.

Minutes of May 9th not yet available.

Mr Hoelzel distributed a memo from Dana Zulager regarding "work at the depot on Friday . A copy is attached to these minutes

Mr Hoelzel distributed copies of three estimates from Littlewoods for roof , chimney repairs and Gile School repair and painting. . There has been leakage around the chimney , into the ceiling and possible condensation. He contacted two other companies who did not submit or respond to his request for bids. The estimates are listed as numbers 4049, 4050, and 4051 . Motion by Art Wolinsky , seconded by Marge Desjardins to offer the Option 1 for a total of \$750. On bid # 4049 as a temporary fix and observe the impact before taking further action. Voted unanimously in the affirmative. Copies of the estimates are attached to these minutes.

Mr. Hoelzel has contacted the boy scout seeking to paint the Gile School as his Eagle Project but has not received an answer. President Hoelzel will contact Dick Bilodeau to get an estimate on the cost to replace the rotted clapboards and some trim etc.

Mr Hoelzel informed the board that he told Mr. Frank Case that the "Raymond Drug Store " sign which was donated to the Historical Society by the Case family was being repaired by Mr Roger Paradis and the Society was pleased to receive the donation. Frank, a longtime resident of Raymond , former owner of the "drug store" and an active volunteer in Raymond was happy to know that the sign would be preserved by the Society.

Boston Cane The Boston Post Cane is presented to the oldest resident of the community. The cane is passed on to the next resident when the other person dies. It is time now to pass along the cane . The selectmen will be asked to determine the oldest person presently a resident of Raymond so the honor of the cane be passed on

The next meeting will be held on June 3, 2019

The meeting adjourned at 5:19 PM