

# **Hollis Heritage Commission**

**Town of Hollis, Hollis, NH 03049**

**Date: August 24, 2021**

**Members Present:** Honi Glover, Wendy Trimble, Karla Vogel, Doug Nye, Susan Benz, Jan Larmouth, David Sullivan, Aurelia Perry

**Members Absent:** Sharon McCaffrey, Cassandra Vorisek, Michael Bates

**Meeting: Called to order: 7:01pm. Pledge of Allegiance.**

**Minutes:** August 2021. Approved with correction of next meeting date – motion by Honi; 2<sup>nd</sup> by Karla.

## **Business:**

**Finance:** Jan reports that we have \$18,985.74 in the Cooper Shop account; \$20,000.00 in the Money Market account (interest from this account is added to the Cooper Shop account); and \$2,974.00 in the general Heritage Fund account, for a cash-on-hand total of \$41,932.74. Recent interest accrued is \$3.35.

July activity on the accounts included deposits totaling \$1,400.00 from calendar sponsorship checks. We are still awaiting a couple more sponsorship checks.

**Calendar:** Wendy brought a hard copy of the calendar, which everyone is looking through for copy-editing corrections. It is almost finalized for sending to the printer. We want to have at least 100 ready for sale at Old Home Days.

**Old Home Days:** Saturday, September 11. We will set up our booth on Friday, using Honi's tent. Dave will get decorations for the float, which will then become decorations for the booth. Jan will also bring décor for the booth, and Jan and Karla will bring tablecloths.

**Cooper Shop:** Wendy enquired as to whether we might use some of our cash-on-hand to have plans drawn up, possibly by an architect, for re-erecting the Cooperage – and whether that would aid in moving the project along if we did. Time, the Covid pandemic, and the availability of volunteers have hampered building efforts. Dave brought up the possibility of bringing in some craftsmen who can shape the new beams that are necessary for the structure, at Old Home Days – it would be a demonstration as well as an advertisement for the project, and would also be progress on the building. Honi will start making pegs, from dowels. She asked whether we'll sell some pegs, for community involvement and individual sponsorship, as had been done for the raising of the Lawrence Barn, and by general discussion we agreed that yes, we will sell pegs for \$10 each.

**Meeting adjourned at 7:54pm.** Motion by Honi, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Susan.

**Next Meeting to be held at 7pm, Tuesday, September 28.**

**Respectfully submitted by Aurelia Perry.**