Heritage Farm Commission Regular Meeting June 6, 2022

The Bolton Heritage Farm Commission held its regular meeting on June 6, 2022 at 6:00 PM at the Bolton Heritage Farm. The meeting included a walk-through of the house and barn courtesy of Building and Grounds Supervisor John Butrymovich. Members in attendance were Chairman Arlene Fiano, Rhea Klein, Cara Wraight, Ann Maulucci, Leslie Shea, Bonnie Massey and Paula Lynn. Vice Chairman Beth Harney and Board Clerk Corrine O'Brien were not in attendance.

1. Call to order

Arlene called the meeting to order at 6:03 P.M.

2. Approval of Minutes of Regular Meeting on May 2, 2022 Corrections:

Rhea Klein made a motion to accept the minutes as written with no corrections. The motion was seconded by Ann Maulucci.

3. Resident's Forum (Public Comment for Items NOT on the Agenda)

Nothing at this time.

4. Correspondence

Nothing.

5. Unfinished Business

A. Farm Maintenance report

John Butrymovich advised that the four picnic tables on order are in and on the grounds for public use. The stumps previously cut down are gone. The trails have been trimmed for the cross-country running group. The bails of hay will be picked up in the near future.

B. Update on fund raising

No updates at this time.

Rhea shared that she intends to hold a summer yoga series again this summer. The series will take place on Mondays through the month of August at the farm.

C. Survey and Planning Grant/Sarah Nelson, Endorsement of the Master Site Plan

The BHF Commission unanamously endorse the Master Plan in anticipation of The Sara Nelson Edwards presentation to the Bolton Board of Selectmen on May 3, 2022. Leslie Shea made a motion to endorse the master site plan. Cara Wraight seconded the motion.

D. NPS/WR3 update

No updates at this time.

E. Interpretive signage Wilderness Graphics

Sarah Nelson and Tom Elmore have cited the location for the interpretive signage.

We will host a soft-dedication of the signage to town historian Hans DePold on June 18, 2022 at 10:30 AM. Refreshments and light snacks will be donated by the Commission.

F. Re-enactment 2022

We no longer have a re-enactment planner for this year so we are postponing the re-enactment to 2023. We will attempt to hold the re-enactment during the last weekend in September. Arlene has spoken with Patrick Carroll of The French Regiment La Bourbonnais in Massachusetts. This group specializes in

education and re-enactments. In order to move forward with this new group we will need agreement from the Board of Selectmen.

6. New Business

A. Other

None. We will continue to brainstorm on events that can be held at the Farm in the coming months.

7. Barn and Farm house site visit

The site visits were conducted after the adjournment.

8. Adjournment

Leslie Shea made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Paula Lynn seconded the motion. The motion passed and the meeting was adjourned at 6:41 P.M.

Respectfully Submitted,

Cara Wraight Commission Member

PLEASE SEE THE MINUTES OF SUBSEQUENT MEETINGS FOR THE APPROVAL OF THESE MINUTES AND ANY CORRECTIONS HERETO.