## HISTORIC DISTRICT & HISTORIC PROPERTY COMMISSION

Lori Fusco, Chair Jeffrey Bendremer, Vice-Chair Gilbert Weatherly, Clerk Jacob Bittner, Member Catherine Lipper, Member

Alternates
Pam Brown



TOWN HALL 238 Danbury Road Wilton, Connecticut 06897

Historic District Commission Meeting Minutes Tuesday March 12, 2024 Electronic Meeting: 6:30 pm

- I. Call to Order: 6:32 pm
- **a. Attendance:** Commissioners Fusco, Bendremer, Weatherly and Lipper present.
- b. **Minutes February 13, 2024**: After a call for comments or questions Bendremer moves to approve, Lipper seconds and the vote to approve is unanimous.
- II. Ambler Farm "Yellow House" Platt Raymond House Update: Chair reported on the progress to fund renovations.
- III. Grant Opportunities Update: Chair reported on the progress of the lead remediation grant application for the Platt Raymond House and additional grant opportunities for Historic Preservation.

- **IV. Demolition Delay Ordinance Update**: Chair reported on the progress to revise demo delay to include 180 day delay. Draft ordinance was reviewed by the Town attorney and awaits review by the Board of Selectmen.
- V. HRI Letter Update: Chair reported the letter to the owners of historic properties has been completed and sent to 1<sup>st</sup> Selectwomen to review.
- VI. POCD Discussion: Chair led a discussion on the progress toward meeting POCD objectives.
- VII. 331 Danbury Rd Spruce Bank Cemetery: Topic added to agenda.

  Bendremer reported on the research of the 275-year-old forgotten final resting ground for enslaved and free Black Wiltonians.

VIII. Public Comment: None

**IX. Adjournment:** 8:04 pm

Submitted by Gil Weatherly, Clerk

Next meeting April 9, 2024