

**Dighton Historical Commission
1458 Somerset Ave
Dighton Police Station – Conference Room
Special Meeting
Thursday, May 30, 2024 - 6:00 PM**

Present: Pat Gailes, Rafa Delfin, Irene Allie, Zach Caron

Meeting called to order at 6:13 PM

Reviewed and discussed the South Dighton survey form. Pat read a letter from Ben Haley of the Massachusetts Historical Commission from November 21, 2023 that says that “the MHC staff was not able to determine the eligibility of South Dighton based on the form provided and will need more information to make an evaluation.” The properties that require more information include the ones along the north side of Main Street running east from 160 Main Street to the water, those to the north along Somerset Avenue to approximately 1988-1989 Somerset Avenue, and those to the south on Pleasant Street to 2187 Pleasant.

What questions can the Commission ask consultant Stacy Spies when she joins us at the next regular meeting? What is a “non-contributing house?” (not historical enough?)

Does the Commission still want to do a walk tour of Mt. Hope Finishing area? June 27 is the tentative date for the walk tour.

Reviewed and discussed the current budget.

Survey notebooks – copies exist for the assessor, the town clerk and the Historical Commission and Pat put them in a thumb drive for the Library.

No motions or votes were taken at this meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 7:37 PM

Respectfully submitted by Rafa Delfin, 6/9/2024