

City of South Portland
Arts and Historic Preservation Committee
Meeting
December 9, 2015, 8:00-9:15am
Planning Department, Sawyer & Ocean Sts.
MINUTES

Present: Kathy DiPhilippo, Amanda Larson, Jessica Routhier, Rob Schreiber, Aimée Turner, Scott Whitaker.

Absent: Jane Batzell, Adrian Dowling, Tex Hauser.

Jessica Routhier called the meeting to order at 8:00am.

Minutes of November meeting accepted.

UPDATE: Armory Redevelopment

Jessica: The Planning Board wrote in our suggested conditions of the new pylon sign design. Materials/restoration plan: We're on record of having reviewed the restoration plan. The Planning Board had a positive discussion about re-siting of the sign.

Greenbelt Walkway Bridge

Jessica attended the Bike/Ped Committee meeting. Not everyone is in favor of a bridge.

A successful Bridge needs to have good design and must be a beautiful gateway to the City.

Outreach publicity

Brainstorming of possible ways to communicate to the public about the AHPC.

- Op Ed in Sentry or Forecaster

- Display Ad

- Online Survey PLUS email PLUS snail mail

- Explore other methods of dissemination

AHPC members should be prepared to share ideas about possible survey questions at the January meeting.

Other business

Kathy: South Portland Historical Society is developing its relationship with Maine Historic Preservation.

Aimee: The South Portland Public Library is celebrating its 50th Anniversary in 2016. How could this be recognized/celebrated?

Meeting adjourned 9:15am.

Next meeting, January 13, 9:00am.