

TOWN OF MAYNARD

Sesquicentennial Steering Committee Minutes

December 3, 2018 5:30 pm

Room 101, Town Building

Call to order: 5:31 pm

Attendees: Paula Copley
Ben DeMott
Chuck Caragianes
David Griffin
David Mark
Donald James

Guests: Greg Johnson
Ellen Duggan

1. Approval of Meeting Minutes

Motion to approve November 5 minutes: Dave Griffin, seconded by Paula Copley. Approved 6-0.

2. Discussion with Invited Guests

- Greg Johnson, Maynard Town Manager.
- Committee members introduced themselves
- Committee members gave an overview of the progress thus far
- Committee clarified that book contract could be sent to Greg for edits and payment
- Greg was asked about contact with Mill & Main administration
- Greg was asked about possible grants - MA Cultural Council was suggested, and he will do some more research
- Possible fundraising ideas discussed: partner with Cultural Council for movie night? GoFundMe? - Greg will check legality.
- Kickoff fundraiser with wine raffle, balloon-pop raffle? Possible locations discussed.
 - Committee needs to have alcohol donated, per Greg.
 - Aim for mid-April - celebrate 148th birthday?
 - Push for new subcommittee members

3. Book

- Ben will forward contract to Greg for revisions and payment

4. Logo Contest

- Parameters have been shared with Maynard High art teachers.

5. Communication with other town groups

- Ben will start a spreadsheet with list of committees and groups referenced in 12/4/17 minutes. This list will circulate to begin gathering contact info for each group.

Motion to Adjourn: Chuck Caragianes, seconded by Paula Conley. Approved 6-0.

Next meeting: January 7 at 5:30 pm

Meeting adjourned 6:32 pm