

Goshen Historical Commission meeting at the Firehouse December 12,2013 7 p.m.

Present MW, AH, FM, BL

1. Minutes of November 14th meeting reviewed and accepted as modified.
2. Finance Report – As of Nov. 30th, the Goshen Historical Commission has received notice from the Town Finance Board that new budgets are due. We discussed priority expenses, what needs to be done before summer and discussed purchasing needed supplies. More electrical outlets are needed in the Museum and will research if there are any available funds for them. MW and AH will work on descriptions of Bank Fund and Gift Fund to be posted in the report.
3. Historical Properties
 - a. The condition of the Williams/Boltwood house continues to worsen
 - b. MHC Forms – BL used the map technology OLIVER. Each property is different. It is compared to Google maps; 3 views – assessor, satellite and “bird’s eye”. According to MW, there are more properties to document for survey. The list will be upgraded.
4. Historical Museum – Jonathan Foulkes helped FM fold and store quilts. A copy of “Hampshire County Memories” published by the Gazette was reviewed.
5. CPC Representative – Our representative was called out in his duty as Fire Captain to help with a chimney fire so no update was available.

Adjourned 9:00 p.m.