

**Town of Effingham, New Hampshire  
Historic District Commission**

**Meeting Minutes  
October 14, 2013**

Present: P. Potter (Chair), R. Harrington (Assistant Chair), E. Jones (Secretary), N. Potter, R. Thompson

Absent: T. Eldridge (Selectmen's Representative)

The meeting was called to order by the Chair at 7:04 p.m.

The minutes of the August 12, 2013 and September 10, 2013 meetings were distributed. It was moved by R. Thompson to accept the August meeting minutes as written. Seconded by N. Potter. Passed and carried. It was moved by N. Potter to accept the September meeting minutes as written. Seconded by R. Harrington. Passed and carried.

Old Business

- 1) The Historic District signs were discussed. The locations described in the letter from the NH DOT were discussed. The location of sign #1 was noted to be well beyond the beginning of the Lord's Hill Historic District boundary. R. Thompson will talk with T. Eldridge about remarking the location of that sign and going back to the state for reapproval.
- 2) Work at Squire Lord's Mansion. No updates.
- 3) Historic District maps/Planning Board. No updates.

New Business

- 1) A request was made by Jennifer Murphy for permission to make alterations to her home at the corner of Plantation Road and Province Lake Road in order to add and/or cover doorways for the purposes of more convenient and safe access to her home and yards. Ms. Murphy was advised that she will need to submit an application and send certified letters to all abutters advising them of her application and the date of the public hearing. The Chair will take responsibility for placing the appropriate public notices in the newspaper and posting them in two locations as required by the RSAs. The Commission set a date for the public hearing of November 1, 2013.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Erik Jones  
Secretary