

Princeton Historical Commission

Minutes of meeting: February 1, 2018

Members present: Joyce Anderson, Krista Ferrante, Phil Mighdoll, Larry Todd (chair)

Guests: Richard Chase, Kim Laureano, Victor Laureano,

Meeting was called to order at 7: 00 p.m.

Larry welcomed guests, the Laureanos and Richard Chase (an interested observer).

Demolition Permit.

The Laureanos explained that they now own the Captain Bob's property. They plan to demolish the house on the property and construct a modern residence for them and Bob (Kim's father). The members reviewed their documentation and learned that they're planning to construct a ranch style home while keeping the restaurant in operation. We noted that there was little historical significance to the existing house and were pleased that this long-time example of rural character in Princeton will continue.

The members voted to authorize Larry to sign off on the permit.

Annual Report.

Teddy Lindberg has completed collecting, cataloging and storing the many headstone fragments found on the cemetery site.

New Member Application.

Carl Soderberg submitted an application for PHS membership. After reviewing it, all agreed that he had impressive qualifications and could make valuable contributions.

Given that Krista Ferrante had previously applied and had been an Alternate Member, we recommended that Carl be approved as an Alternate Member. There was some discussion of that role. Krista

explained that the Alternate usually attends and contributes to PHC meetings; and often votes when a Regular Member is absent.

Minutes of 1/18 Meeting.

The members read the draft minutes. Since Matt wasn't in attendance, we decided to hold off approving it until he is present.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:50 pm.

Next meeting is 2/15.

Submitted by *Phil Mighdoll*