

## **STONEHAM HISTORICAL COMMISSION**

January 8, 2007 - Meeting Minutes  
Stoneham Senior Center

*Present:* David Armato, Joanne DiMambro, Stephen Rotondi, Marcia Wengen  
*Absent:* Carol Nickerson, Joan Quigley, Christopher Willard

Steve Rotondi called the meeting to order at 7:04 PM.

1. Meeting minutes - The minutes of the December 4, 2006 meeting were accepted.
2. Treasurer's Report – David reported that there are no expenses against the \$385 for FY'07. He presented a tentative budget of \$385 for FY'08. Marcia will deliver it to Ron Florino tomorrow.
3. Membership – David announced that he plans to reapply before his term expires on April 30, 2007. Carol Nickerson will also need to reapply as she is filling a vacated term.
4. Web Site – no report in Chris's absence; Steve will review a draft of the letter asking for space on the Town's web site for the Historical Commission.
5. Old Burying Ground
  - Joan sent an e-mail asking for access to the Historical Society files since she has not been successful in her quest for information on Jonathan Green. Marcia will follow-up with the HS.
  - In working on the story line, the members agreed that it makes sense to present the Stonehamites in the following order: Peter Hay, Timothy Wright, Rev. Osgood, Timothy Baldwin, Jonathan Green, Samuel Sprague.
  - Members will continue their research. Joanne asked about the possibility of presenting the first town meeting of 1725.
6. New Business
  - Steve reviewed highlights of 2006 in preparation for his annual report.
  - Marcia handed out copies of the Mass Historical Commission (MHC) letter of Dec 26, 2006 that determined "no adverse effect" on historic properties for the proposed Fellsway West telecommunications installation and the nomination package for the MHC 2007 Preservation Awards Program.
  - David reported that St. Patrick Church may be organizing their own church history committee.

The meeting ended at 8:56 PM.

Respectfully submitted, Marcia Wengen, Secretary