Lee Heritage Commission Minutes
December 19, 2019

Present: Patricia Jenkins, Scott Bugbee and Laura Gund (a quorum).

Minutes: Scott made a motion, and Pat seconded, to accept the minutes of the November 21st meeting. Minutes accepted.

Annual Town Report: Laura completed this year’s report for inclusion in the annual Town Report. Some words had to be deleted in order to make it the acceptable length. It will be submitted to the Town Secretary.

Meda Durepo: We have postponed our interview with Meda until January, when, hopefully, we won’t all be so busy. Meda is agreeable with this.

Signs: Signs left to be done are: Glidden-Towle with two dates; Browns (formerly Meekers) with two dates, a green one for the barn, blue one for the house; Haley Homestead (Barth), 1750. Some discussion as to whether to use two dates to show the age of any additions or just one date for the original building. Also, the Jeremiah Smith Grange, 1841; and the Layne Barn (Rothwell), ca. 1850, a green barn sign.

Warrant Article re: Parish House: Proposed article: “Shall the town suspend efforts to remove or demolish the Lee Parish House until July 1, 2022 to allow the Lee Heritage Commission sufficient time to explore options for its preservation and future use and to submit a proposal for the March 2022 ballot?” Laura made a motion to submit the above article, Scott seconded and all were in favor of sending the article to the Town Administrator for inclusion in the warrant.

Finances: There is $23,934.25 in the budget at this time, including $20 in interest.

Next meeting will be held on January 16, 2020.

Minutes submitted by Laura Gund.