Candia Heritage Commission

Approved Minutes of August 13, 2009

Attendance:

Present: Jim Lindsey, Carleton Robie (Selectmen's representative), Christine Dupere, Betty Sabean (alt), Ron Thomas Absent: Diane Philbrick, Ray Cresswell, Ken Madden, Sarah Giles (alt) Carol Howe (alt),

The meeting was called to order by Vice-Chair, Jim Lindsey at 7:30 PM Betty Sabean was seated as a voting member.

Minutes:

Christine Dupere moved to correct a misspelling in the July minutes. Christine Dupere then moved the approval of the July minutes as corrected. Second by Ron Thomas. Minutes were approved by unanimous vote.

Candia Old Home Day – August 29th:

All agreed to help out at OHD. At Fitts Museum - Ron Thomas 12-2, Carleton Robie 2-4, Chris Dupere, Betty Sabean and Jim Lindsey will be at the park with Diane Philbrick. The Commission will share a tent and table with the Agricultural Committee.

East Candia Historical Project:

Betty Sabean reported she had walked the area. Jim Lindsey is still working on the mill sites, he will check with Thelma weeks in the near future. Jim Lindsey has done research on the "old homesteaders" in East Candia. He notes there was very little growth until 1800. Motion was made by Carleton Robie to define East Candia, for the purpose of this project, as Rt. 27 Langford Rd to the Raymond line, Langford Rd. and Depot Rd. from the village to Ward Brook. Motion was adopted by unanimous vote.

Semiquincentennial celebration (250th anniversary):

Discussion of the Semiquincentennial deferred to the next meeting. Carleton Robie will contact a group of people to see if there is interest in doing something on July 4, 2013, he will report back.

Bowman House Demolition:

Christine Dupere reports that the photographs have been completed.

Meeting adjourned at 8:24 PM.

Next meeting – Thursday **September 10, 2009 7:30 PM** at the town office meeting room.

Respectfully submitted, Ron Thomas Secretary