

**Gilford Historic District & Heritage Commission
Gilford Town Hall
Conference Room A
7:00 P.M.
Minutes for June 14, 2011**

Attendance

Members present: Chairman and Planning Board Representative, Richard Sonia, Selectmen's Representative, John O'Brien, Secretary Troy Schrupp, Mary Curtis and Carole Hopper.

Members Absent: None.

Staff: John Ayer, Planning Director.

Others Present: Paul Haskell, applicant.

1. Call to Order/Confirmation of Quorum. Chairman Sonia called the meeting to order at 7:05 PM. Lead those present in the Pledge of Allegiance. A quorum was established.

2. Minutes of May 10, 2011. Motion made by J. O'Brien, seconded by C. Hopper, to approve the minutes from May 10, 2011. Motion carried with all in favor.

3. New Business –

Chairman Sonia introduced the application.

1. Paul Haskell

Applicant proposes to change the color of the existing house from white trim with white body to white trim with grey body on Tax Map & Lot #226-076.000 located at 69 Potter Hill Rd. in the Natural Resource Residential Zone and Historic District.

Discussion:

Paul Haskell presented to the Board a request for a change in color for his home. The new color scheme requested was to change the white siding and trim to grey siding known as "Wet Pavement" #5006-2A by Valspar paints with a white trim.

Chairman Sonia questioned if the color was for paint or siding. Mr. Ayer requested that photos of the new color be submitted to the Commission after it is applied. P. Haskell said it could take approximately 3 weeks to complete the painting depending on the weather.

Motion made by J. O'Brien, seconded by M. Curtis, to approve the application as presented. Motion carried with all in favor.

4. Other Business:

M. Curtis questioned if the Historic Board has any involvement in landscaping changes taking place in the village. J. Ayer said he was willing to look into it.

M. Curtis asked if anyone had checked into the lighted sign in the Village Store at night. J. Ayer said he would look into it.

Discussion ensued about the changes and improvements to the War Memorial Garden have been completed and several members remarked that they had seen it and were generally very pleased.

J. Ayer commented that the Village Knolls III Project is in the process of gaining final approval and that the Commission may see a site plan soon.

5. Adjourn

Motion to adjourn the meeting made by C. Hopper, seconded by R. Sonia. Motion carried with all in favor. Meeting adjourned at 7:28 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Troy Schrupp
HDHC Secretary