

Old Meetinghouse Revitalization Committee (OMRC) Meeting
April 1, 2021
5:00 PM
Epsom Town Hall and via ZOOM

Committee Present: Meadow Wysocki, Virginia Drew, Chuck Driesbach, Norm Yeaton

The Old Meetinghouse Revitalization Committee meets to continue efforts to bring the Old Meetinghouse up to code for occupancy so it may be utilized as a community space. It is the goal of the committee to finance the effort through fundraising without utilizing taxpayer dollars.

I. Review and Adoption of 3/4/21 minutes

Chuck made a motion to accept the minutes as amended. Seconded by Norm. Minutes approved.

II. Septic & Bathroom (All)

George Carlson informed Virginia that he would like to be involved with getting the septic system installed. George will be able to identify contractors and obtain bids. Virginia to get copy of septic plan to George and Chuck. Virginia will have him contact Chuck for an on-site visit. Chuck to work on estimate for restroom buildout.

III. GoFundMe Updates (Meadow)

Received a little less than \$3K so far. Had another \$300 donation. Meadow will be updating the GFM and Facebook pages. Meadow is also doing a matching contribution through her FB page with family (up to \$1K). FYI- Epsom Old Home Day is establishing a GFM page.

IV. Donation Level Discussion (All)

Virginia discussed progress on the donation levels. She will update based on our discussion and email the updated info to the team.

V. Paint Night (Kristy)

Kristy was not able to attend this meeting and provide an update. However, ECS has said that the event may be held there. The Elks and American Legion were identified as other possible sites. Meadow said she would post it on FB and other places. We need to get possible dates from Kristy and identify what the registration fee would be.

VI. OTHER Fundraising Options & Ideas (Kristy)

Deferred until Kristy is present.

VII. Tours (Virginia)

Virginia would like to have tours of the OM on April 24 & 25. Would also open the Old Town Hall in conjunction with plans for possible rehab and use as Town Offices.

VIII. NHSCA Letter of Intent (Meadow)

Meadow indicated that there are two more phases need to complete the restoration of the stained-glass windows. She will submit a NHSCA Letter of Intent to obtain funds to the BOS for approval.

IX. Other

\$200 was received from LCHIP for providing a timely report. Virginia will discuss with the BOS why these funds were not deposited into the OMRC fund in the past.

Meadow noted that Megan Rheume provided a list of possible fundraising ideas. She will forward the list to Kristy.

Chuck - Motion to adjourn, Norm seconded. Meeting adjourned at 5:53pm

Next meeting of the OMRC is Thursday April 22 at 5:00pm at the Town Hall.

Respectfully submitted,
Chuck Driesbach
Vice Chairman