

Pompton Lakes Historic Preservation Commission Minutes of June 28, 2022

Paul Bowlby, in accordance with the New Jersey Open Public Meeting Act, N.J.S.A. 10:4-7, opened the in-person meeting of the Pompton Lakes Historic Preservation Commission at 7:12pm. This meeting has been advertised in the *Suburban Trends* and posted in the Municipal Building.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Paul Bowlby, Al Evangelista, Jared Luciani, Brian O'Malley, David Rowan, Councilman Ek Venin

EXCUSED: Laura Jennings, Paul Bastante, Keith Lockwood

ABSENT: None

VISITORS: None

MINUTES – Al Evangelista made a motion to approve and accept the May 24, 2022, meeting minutes, seconded by Brian O'Malley. The motion passed.

CORRESPONDENCE and PHONE CALLS – Dave Rowan requested birthday card to be sent to his uncle.

OLD BUSINESS:

Sign Verbiage – Artistic Weaving – Keith Lockwood's approved shortened verbiage will be used on the Artistic Weaving sign to be placed at entrance to Lidl parking lot next to Starbucks along the river. Al will order the sign.

Virtual Museum – Borough grant writer should be contacted with information provided by visitors from Historic Preservation Office last month and have them contact each other to discuss details on the grant application process. Discussion followed on Riverdale property thought to be used as a possible museum and other older properties in Pompton Lakes.

Documenting History – Paul Bowlby has been preparing questions for interview with Fred Reinhardt. Al Evangelista explained he may have someone who would be able to record the interview. Details to follow.

Storage Unit Clean Up – June 12th scheduled clean-up was cancelled due to rain. No rush to reschedule until grant money is available to start scanning what we have. Will plan to schedule clean-up for September or October.

Member Training – Members were reminded to participate in one of several training opportunities that were provided by Historic Preservation Office last month.

NEW BUSINESS:

Membership – Still actively looking for second alternate member. Al Evangelista provided contact information for potential new member Ed Crowley. Laura will email him information packet, invite him to join us for the next meeting, and if interested ask him to provide us with his resume.

Pompton Day – Sunday September 4, 2022, is Pompton Day. Applications are due beginning of August. Members agreed they would like to participate.

Our next meeting is July 26, 2022, 5:30pm – to be held at Pompton Lakes Civic Center located at 25 Lenox Ave in Pompton Lakes. Please contact Laura Jennings by email at historic@pomptonlakes-nj.gov if you cannot attend a meeting. Note new time.

Having no further business to discuss, Brian O'Malley made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:56pm, seconded by Paul Bowlby, carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Cristiane Jennings