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Historic District Study Committee | Town of Marion  
2 Spring Street  
Marion MA 02738

## LOCAL HISTORIC STUDY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Wednesday, May 24, 2023, 5:30 PM

Present: Margie Baldwin (MB), Will Tiffit (WT), Jill Pitman (JP), Meg Steinberg (MS), George Morton (GM), John DiSalvo (JD), Eric Dray (ED)

1. March 15, 2023 meeting minutes were approved without comment
2. WT informed committee that all letters to homeowners in the study district have been mailed
3. Committee agreed to target publication of informational article in Sippican Week the week following local graduation ceremonies
  - a. JP to determine deadline for article submission and coordinate with publisher
4. Committee reviewed proposed wording of survey to homeowners
  - a. ED proposed to add new second question similar to “do you value Marion Village’s Historic Architecture?” to help connect the architectural character of the town to its history and stories
  - b. MS recommends adding phrase “as a way of ensuring protection of the village’s character” to the end of question regarding the creation of a local historic district
  - c. ED to rewrite question regarding possible exemptions, incorporating the following comments from the committee
    - i. Note exemptions made by state law
    - ii. Consider specifically noting additions, demolitions, and new construction as things that could be included
    - iii. Consider noting that only features visible from a public way may be subject to review
5. Next meeting scheduled for June 8<sup>th</sup>, 2023 at 5:30 PM
6. Meeting adjourned at 7:00 PM

Respectfully submitted, John DiSalvo