Sherman Housing Commission
Regular Monthly Meeting Minutes
March 21, 2016 7:00 pm
Mallory Town Hall

Members Present: A. Van Plachecki, B. Hoag, D. Tuck and C. Faure

Members Absent: None

Invited and Audience: H. Bray and Commission Clerk, C. Branson

Call to Order: Chair, A. Van Plachecki Called the Meeting to Order at 7:10 pm.

Commissioner A. Van Plachecki Moved to Amend the Agenda and add “Discussion regarding potential new Commission Member”
Seconded by: B. Hoag Vote: For: Unanimous

Correspondence: Helen Bray- expressing interest in joining the Housing Commission.

Discussion regarding potential new Commission Member:

From the Audience, Helen Bray introduced herself to the Commission. Ms. Bray stated it is a great concern of hers about what housing options Seniors are left with here in Sherman. Chair, A. Van Plachecki stated he appreciated Ms. Bray’s interest and would submit a letter of endorsement to the First Selectman.

Approval of Minutes:

Regular Monthly Meeting January 25, 2016:

Commissioner D. Tuck Moved to Approve the Minutes of January 25, 2016 Regular Monthly Meeting, as written.
Seconded by: C. Faure Vote: For: Unanimous

Status of proposed survey:

Chair Van Plachecki shared the most recent version of the survey with the Commission. Upon the recommendation of Selectman B. Ostrosky, some questions have been expanded to clarify answers. The Commission agreed on the final changes to the survey. The survey will be submitted to the BoS for final endorsement. The survey will be mailed to postal patrons with postage paid return envelopes and will appear on the Town website. Chair, A. Van Plachecki will submit a letter to the editor to clarify the purpose of the survey and to encourage participation. Discussion followed regarding the tabulation of results. Once the results are clear, Mr. Van Plachecki stated he hopes to get the Planning and Zoning Commission involved with the next steps.

Public comment:

The Commission discussed State Statutes regarding housing and read into record points of interest from Section 8-30(g.).

Adjournment: Commissioner, B. Hoag Moved to Adjourn the Meeting at 7:55 pm.

Respectfully Submitted by:

Christine Branson, Clerk

April 18, 2016

Approved as Final at the April 18th 2016 Regular Meeting