## Town of North Stonington, CT HEWITT FARM COMMITTEE

## **REGULAR MEETING MINUTES**

## Monday, May 11, 2020 at 4:30p.m. Virtual Meeting via Zoom

The regular meeting of the Hewitt Farm Committee was called to order by Ed Harasimowitz at 4:35 PM with members Nita Kincaid, Timonthy Chokas and Deirdre Tavares. Guests attending were Dick Seager, Arthur Dobley and Juliet Hodge.

1. Status of work on the John Dean Gallup House

The painting is complete on the house. The committee will take a walk through to review the final items that need to be updated.

2. Review of John Dean Gallup House RFP.

Planning to have the RFP finalized by Wednesday and going online by Thursday. Photos and video will accompany the RFP.

3. Hay Field Contract Renewal Status

Continuing with Mike Daniels and Ron Lewis mowing the hayfields, contract completed.

4. Promoting Summer Events at the Farm

Going forward we need to think about promoting summer events at the farm.

Currently the farm is being utilized a lot by new people due to the current pandemic.

5. Approval of 4/20/2020 Minutes

A motion was passed to approve the edited 4/20/20 minutes.

6. Member Updates on Projects and Additional Items for Group

Mowing the field pathways will continue like last year.

7. Request from the Dobley and Gannotti families to do more work on the Picnic Grove

Young adult members from both families would like to volunteer to clear brush and assemble benches for specified area.

8. A request from Garden Club to use the Pavilion on July 21

Verifying this date, but committee agreed to reserve the pavillion for this potential date for the Garden Club members.

A new member is looking for a plot, Nita connected both parties.

9. Public Comments

Dick provided an update on the Green Gables sign, Robin a member from the Historical Society is working on the sign.

10. Date of next meeting

June 1st, 2020 is the next meeting

Ajourned at 5:12 PM

Respectfully submitted Deirdre Tavares