Northfield Historical Commission May 12, 2016 Northfield Town Hall Minutes

Present: Joel Fowler, Joe Graveline, Carol Lebo, Lis McLoughlin, Sue Ross

Absent: Robert Hall, Jessie Wiggin

The meeting was called to order at 4:08 p.m.

Agenda items:

- Minutes of previous meeting accepted unanimously M: Joel. S: Joe
- NHC Planning tabled
- TGP Pipeline: no response yet from DPU letter. Discussion of NED Pipeline.

Residual agenda items:

- Alderbrook Meadow Sanctuary General discussion about archaeological concerns. Lis will call
 Matthias Nevins at Mount Grace Land Conservation Trust to request a walk of the property with
 members of NHC.
- Northfield Mountain Licensing Review Draft plan received with response deadline May 29, 2016.
 Lis is drafting our response to be discussed May 27.
- MHC: Still no response to NHC letter of February 22, 2016 which detailed the NHC security procedures for the archaeological data requested from MHC. Ed Bell did not respond to an email from Joel. Carol will phone Mr. Bell. Sue Ross will contact Elizabeth Rairigh and Beth Giannini.
- **Veterans Graves:** Lis returned the cemetery inventory she has been borrowing from the NHC which has a list Bob can use to start his research. The book is in the NHC locked files.

Residual agenda items not addressed: MHC grants; NHC planning; Programs, i.e. 2016; Barns of Northfield Project; Veterans Graves, Civil War monument; Battleground Grant; Mass Archaeological Society; Local archaeology policy; By-laws for NHC; Connecticut River Scenic Byway; EBI Consulting/ATT update.

The next NHC meeting will be held Friday, May 27 2016 at 4:00 p.m. in Town Hall. The meeting was adjourned at 5:50 p.m. M: Joe, S: Joel, unanimous.

Respectfully submitted,

Carol Durbin Lebo, Secretary

May 23, 2016