



# TOWN OF VERNON

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## Minutes – Regular Meeting – March 14, 2019

Chairman Hurd called the meeting to order at 7:43 PM at the Vernon Historical Society.

- 1.0 Roll Call – All members were present: Hurd, Nelson, Quinn, Saucier and Iacobello. Alternate Sierakowski was present with Trapp and Nicholson absent. Also present was Shaun Gately, Economic Development Coordinator and resident Nancy Strong.
- 2.0 Approval of Minutes
  - 2.1 Regular Meeting – February 14, 2019 – A motion to accept the minutes as presented was made by Iacobello, seconded by Quinn and unanimously approved.
- 3.0 Communications – CT Preservation News issue was received.
- 4.0 Review of PZC, ZBA, and Demolition Applications
  - 4.1 New Applications as required – None received.
- 5.0 Unfinished Business
  - 5.1 Study of the Strong Farm, War Memorial Tower, Lucina Chapel and Hockanum Company House: No report. Chairman Hurd will complete the work.
  - 5.2 Sustainable Connecticut Certification – The public was invited to attend this meeting with planned discussion on the Town Vernon quest to obtain Sustainable Connecticut Certification and how it applies to historic properties and their preservation. Shaun Gately explained the goal, scope and status of the project. Copies of a Washington State publication “Sustainability and Historic Preservation” were distributed and discussed. Particular focus of the LHPC on the Talcottville Historic District, Tankeroosen Valley and the Lucina Chapel was discussed. Members were encouraged to attend other Town programs including the Community Forum to be held at Camp Newhoeca on April 25.
- 6.0 New Business
  - 6.1 Business as required - None
- 7.0 The meeting was adjourned at 8:36 PM with a motion made by Iacobello, seconded by Quinn and unanimously approved.

~~DRAFT FOR APPROVAL~~

Carol S. Nelson, Secretary

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Date Approved:

*June 13, 2019*