## TOWN OF CLINTON HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION November 16, 2022

- 1. Call to order by chairperson Rose Platt at 6:33 p.m.
- 2. Attending: Carol Beder, Carol Crawford-Jones, Marcia Hansen, Norma Kania, Holly Leone, and Rose Platt.
- 3. Approval of October 25, 2022, meeting minute: Holly moved, Norma seconded. Minutes were unanimously approved.
- 4. New Business
  - a. The Town Historian position is open and will be filled by Holly Leone.
  - b. Elizabeth Cole will be invited to be an alternate member of our Commission.
  - c. Fundraising for our budget (different than grant program)
    - The revenue from our fundraising will go into our budget.
    - Discussion of types of fundraising we may undertake include but not limited to tote bags, carriage rides, and plaques.
    - A \$100 check will be sent to the Riverside Cemetery Association for their participation in the haunted cemetery tour.
  - d. Discovery at Guldbrandsen Bldg.
    - Historic papers were uncovered; we will be sifting through them.
    - Resource: Goodspeed Histories has stories of people residing in Hunterdon County and its residents.
  - e. Review Commission By-Laws.
  - f. Preservation of Fretwork, Moldings, Brackets discussion.
    - Our Commission will pursue the preservation of moldings on historic homes.
  - g. We are looking a project called Past Perfect and will compare the cost versus purchasing a terabyte memory stick.

## 5. Old Business

- a. Historic Facade Grant
  - 1. Two residents received grant monies.
- b. Welcome to Clinton sign update
  - Karen originally painted each sign individually from scratch and cannot be touched up; originally it took her a year and a half to complete the 5 signs.
    - We need to eliminate three signs and retain the Halstead, Center, and a sign entering West Main Street
    - A quote of \$5,000 would include an imprint on vinyl.
    - We will seek estimates replacing the three signs.
- c. Plaque update still seeking samples
- d. Fundraising revenue:
  - Garden Party, approximaely\$2500
  - Cemetery Tour, approximately \$1,400
- 6. Adjournment: At 7:43 Rose motioned to adjourn; motion was seconded by Norma.
- 7. Next scheduled Commission meeting is December 7, 2022, at 6:30 p.m. in Municipal Building Annex