

**School Building Committee
Outreach Sub-Committee Meeting
Thursday, June 17, 2021
9:00am, Virtually**

Virtual Meeting Pursuant to Governor Baker's March 12, 2020
Order Suspending Certain Provisions of Open Meeting Law

Present: Kim Bodnar, Jennifer Glass, Gina Halsted

Also Present: Andy Payne

Call to Order: Kim Bodnar opened the meeting at 9:15am, noting that the Open Meeting Law requirement to have a quorum present in a physical location has been suspended due to the COVID-19 pandemic pursuant to Governor Baker's March 12, 2020 Order, as extended on June 15, 2021, with the Governor's signing of S.2475, suspending Certain Provisions of the Open Meeting Law. She confirmed that all participants were present and able to hear and see other participants.

Debrief: The sub-committee discussed several items from the previous evening's School Building Committee meeting.

Blogs: The sub-committee discussed content for the upcoming blogs.

June 20:

- Work on the school project is continuing through the summer – final inspections for Phase 1 are occurring in mid-August.
- Finishing touches for Phase 1 (Middle School) will continue through the summer while Phase 2 begins.
- The last day of classes is next week.
- Middle school teachers will be packing up their classrooms.
- Containers with the middle school classroom material will be staged in the new Dining Commons.

June 27 & July 4: No blog

July 11: Reminder of the July 14th SBC meeting

Other business: Ms. Bodnar observed that this would be an opportune time for a drone video of the whole school. Phase 1 of the project is coming to an end and the new Middle School building is nearly complete. Phase 2 has not begun, so the historic portion of the Smith School is still intact. Ms. Bodnar thought this would be a wonderful moment to capture with video and pictures. She volunteered to follow up with Matt Guimond.

This idea prompted discussion of the community's attachment to the Smith School building. Jennifer Glass suggested a July 4th blog honoring the Smith School in lieu of a parade float. Ms. Bodnar suggested letting residents know the timing of the Smith School demolition. Perhaps the blog could include a vintage B&W photo of the Smith School when it was new.

Ms. Glass wondered if Andrew Glass (Lincoln Historical Commission) could co-write the article. She thought the piece could highlight the use of sun screening techniques in both the original and the new building design.

Ms. Bodnar requested that the web site be updated to include the new Daedalus (now CHA) team members.

Minutes: Minutes from the 5/13 meeting were approved as amended by roll call vote: Glass, aye; Bodnar, aye; Halsted, aye.

Ms. Bodnar made a motion to adjourn. Ms. Glass seconded the motion, and it was approved unanimously by roll call vote: Glass, aye; Bodnar, aye; Halsted, aye.

Next Meeting: Thursday, July 15 at 8:00am via ZOOM

The meeting was adjourned at 10:03am.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Gina Halsted