



**TOWN OF BECKET
HISTORICAL COMMISSION**
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Meeting Date: Tuesday, December 12, 2023

Meeting Time: 5:00 PM

Meeting Place: Historical Commission Office, Town Hall (Zoom Info listed at the end of this agenda)

Agenda

1. Call to order
2. Approval of Minutes Nov 2023
3. Treasurer's Report
4. Communications
 - a. New-
 - i. Town notifications
 - ii. Budget Town Treasurer-FY2024 expenditure encumbered from FY2023
 - iii. Arrangements for Town Hall tour
 - iv. Commissioner's attendance
 - v. Nov minutes
 - vi. History of Jacob's Pillow
 - vii. Painted Lady delivery
 - viii. Diary of Deacon Alvah Eames transcription
 - ix. Query "Old Deer Inn" property, Jacob's Ladder Road at Fred Snow Road
 - x. Display suggestion
 - xi. Email account full

- xii. HC Support
 - xiii. Query RE: Doc Houston, Greenwater Pond
 - b. Old
 - i. Becket Fire Department History flash drive
 - ii. History of Jacob's Pillow written by Elsie Johnson of the Texas Women's University, 1967 thesis
- 5. New Business
 - a. Historic Plaques order
 - b. Old Deer Inn property
- 6. Old Business
 - a. Budget requests, Town Administrator, due by 22 Dec 2023
 - b. Annual Town Report article due by 31 Jan 2024 to Admin. Asst.
 - c. Ephraim Walker papers
 - d. Cupola restoration
 - e. Historic Building Plaques-publicity
 - f. Revolutionary War veterans
 - g. New member(s)
 - h. Ballou Park signage-Native American mill stone
 - i. Massachusetts State Archive maps
 - j. 2027-100th anniversary of Becket Flood
- 7. Next meeting – Jan 9, 2024 at 5:00 PM, Becket Town Hall

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