



Pursuant to a notice duly filed with the Town Clerk of Concord, a meeting of the Concord 2025 Executive Committee was held in the Trustees Room of the Concord Free Public Library, 129 Main Street, on August 25, 2022

Members Present: David Wood, Rob Munro, Di Clymer, Diane Proctor, Gary Clayton, Rick Loughlin, Henry Dane

Guests Present: Simone Monteleone, Superintendent, Minute Man National Historical Park

Call to Order: the meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM, a quorum being present

1. Administrative

Minutes from August 11, 2022 meeting were reviewed and approved by unanimous vote

David Wood appointed clerk pro-tem in the absence of John Arena

2. Simone Monteleone reported on the current state of the Park's plans for 2024-2025; a copy of the draft report is appended. Highlights include a Park-Town collaboration on a commemoration of the January 10, 1774, town meeting that reacted to the Tea Party (there are opportunities to collaborate with the History/Education and the Arts/Literature subcommittees on this event); events of April 18-21, 2025, including Barrett Farm, Battle Road Day, Patriot Vigil, North Bridge Fight, and the Lexington Parade. There is also a proposal for a collaboration with the Town on a program focusing on the occupation of Concord, perhaps including Wright Tavern, Colonial Inn, and other in-town sites.

3. Looking ahead

- a. Henry Dane reported on the formation of the Concord 250 Corporation
- b. Rob Munro recommended consideration of a forum aimed at community partners like Hanscom, the Armory, the Park, Mass 250, and so following.
- c. Diane Proctor proposed working on a draft calendar for all the 2024-2025 events
- d. Gary Clayton outlined a draft agenda for the Sunday October 16 3-5pm plenary session of the subcommittees at the Concord Museum, speaking of the event as providing a foundation for the public forum in November.

4. Next meeting is schedule for September 15, 2022 at 7pm in the Trustees Room of the Library

5. Meeting adjourned at 8:10 pm

Minutes respectfully submitted, David Wood