RIDGEFIELD HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

Lower Level Conference Room Town Hall, 400 Main Street Ridgefield, CT 06877 February 23, 2017

APPROVED MINUTES

A special meeting of the Ridgefield Historic District Commission ("HDC") was held in the lower level small/conference room of the Town Hall, 400 Main Street, Ridgefield, CT 06877, on Thursday, February 23, 2017, and beginning at 7:30 pm.

The following members were present:

Daniel J. O'Brien, Chair Joe Gasperino Harriet Hanlon Sean O'Kane – (Alternate – voting for Rhys Moore) Eric Pashley Briggs Tobin

Absent:

Rhys Moore

The meeting was called to order by Mr. O'Brien at 7:35 p.m.

<u>103 Main Street – First Congregational Church of Ridgefield</u> – Review of proposed replacement of lighting fixtures. John Doyle of Doyle Coffin Architecture was present to make the presentation. The topics involving the new lighting are as follows:

Change the lighting fixtures in the parking lot previously approved. There will the same number of original fixtures. They will have a similar look but a shorter base. They will be the same height as the previously approved fixtures and will look similar to those installed at the RVNA. They have dark aluminum poles with a shield hanging down. The light is directed downward. There are a couple lights that will be set back and not right on Main Street. John Doyle had pictures of the proposed fixture that he shared with the Historic District Commission.

Briggs Tobin inquired whether the proposed fixture projected its light in a downward fashion and John Doyle indicated that he was almost certain that it did but that he would provide the Commission with documentation confirming this fact.

Briggs Tobin made a motion to approve the lighting fixture replacement contingent upon Mr. Doyle providing documentation confirming that the proposed fixture projects its light downward. Joe Gasperino made a second. The motion was approved by unanimous vote.

The special meeting was adjourned at 8:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Janet L. Johnson