

**Town of New Paltz Historic Preservation Commission Meeting
Monday April 5th 2010 7:30PM - 9:30PM at the Town Hall**

Attendees: Town HPC Commissioners John Orfitelli, Helen Christie, and Kathleen Interrante. Also, attending were Town Board Liaison, Kitty Brown, and Fawn Tantillo.

Agenda

- 1) Public Comment
- 2) GIS Mapping Grant Status
- 3) Comprehensive Plan
- 4) Recruitment Efforts Update
- 5) Dejoux House Designation
- 6) Review/Approval of Minutes from March '10, and August '09

Minutes

Meeting opened for public comment at 7:32 PM.

1) Public Comment: No public comments were received.

2) GIS Mapping Grant Status

Project Manager, Josh Simons, had indicated earlier in the month that students from the project would be attending this meeting to present status and address any questions from the Commission. Unfortunately, the students were not able to attend and therefore no additional material from that published on March 15th (see attachment) was made available.

The Commission discussed property flag categories that would be useful to distinguish various types of historic properties including: architectural style, historic period, and landmark designation.

3) Review of Comprehensive Plan

It was pointed out that no local landmark designations have been included in the document. John Orfitelli agreed to provide Toni Hokanson with comments from the Commission.

4) Recruitment

John Orfitelli agreed to send Rita Toohey an e-mail explaining that a applicant to the Commission has come forward (Fawn Tantillo) and to request that she acknowledge stepping down as a Commissioner.

5) Dejoux House Designation

Daniel Reed Flebut and William Charnoch requested and received an application for local landmark designation of their house 374 Springtown Road which is known as the Dejoux House. Since September 2009 they have been documenting their restoration work in a fascinating blog ([click here to view](#))

[blog](#)). This is truly a terrific example of Historic Preservation being embraced by property owners.. the Dejoux House will be a great addition to our local landmark inventory.

6) Review/Approval of Minutes from March '10

Minutes review and approval of the March minutes will be completed along with April at the next meeting in May.

Motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Kathleen Interrante and seconded by Helen Christie. The meeting was adjourned at 8:43pm.