

Matawan Historical Sites Commission

201 Broad Street

Matawan, New Jersey 07747

Thursday, March 13th, 2025 at 7:00 p.m.

AGENDA

The Meeting of the Matawan Historical Sites Commission will be held on Thursday, March 13th at 7:00 p.m. at the Matawan Municipal Community Center Room, 201 Broad Street, Matawan, NJ.

Call to Order

Roll Call:

- Kurtis Roinestad, Chair
- Barry Orr, Vice-Chair
- Gail Chester, Secretary
- Janilee Yanny, Treasurer
- Lorraine Arnold, Member
- Steven Russell, Council Liaison
- Amy Denholtz Lewandowski, Recording Secretary

Adoption of Minutes

January & February

Chairman's Report

Matawan Historic Sites Reports

- **Major John Burrowes Mansion**
 - Electrical upgrade (Update)
 - Exterminator's report (Update on treatment)
 - Fire Alarm System & Security System (Update)
 - Burrowes Mansion Oversight (Update)
- **Mount Pleasant Cemetery**
 - Encroachment (Update – B.Orr)
 - Boundary markers (Update – B.Orr)
 - Interpretive sign (Update)
 - DAR involvement (Update on marking graves & correction Samuel Forman gravestone)

- GPR (Update on marking old church footprint for interpretative sign)
- Mt. Pleasant Cemetery Fence (Proposal to include in a grant or budget)
- **Philip Freneau Grave** (Nothing to report)
- **Saint James A.M.E. Zion Church Historical Cemetery** (Nothing to report)
- **Downtown Preservation District**

Property Review

- **Matawan Railroad Station** (NR: 6/22/1984 Ref #84002756; SR: 3/17/1984; DOE: 2/14/1979; SHPO Opinion 9/1//1978) ID#2017
- **160 Main Street** (Update – K.Roinestad)
- **Matawan Main Street Historic District** – (ID#3359) SHPO Opinion 11/29/1994

Old Business

- **Revised Ordinance** (Meeting date with attorney – S.Russell)
- **Aberdeen Road Project Bridge Naming** (Update – S.Russell)
- **Shark Mural Repainting** (Update – S.Russell)
- **\$100,000 Grant** (Propose specific uses if awarded)

New Business

- **Commission Appointments**
- **Historic District Map** (J. Peist)

Public Comment

Adjournment

Next Meeting: Thursday, April 10, 2025 @7:00 p.m.

Application for Appropriateness Deadline for April 10th Meeting – April 4th, 2025.

Agenda is subject to change.