

***Town of Scituate  
Historical Commission  
Meeting Minutes – November 8, 2018***

**1. Welcome and Call to Order**

Chairman Doug Smith called to order a regular meeting of the Scituate Historical Commission at 7:04 pm on November 8, 2018 at the Scituate Town Library. The following Commission members attended the meeting: Doug Smith, Arthur Beale, Aubrey Schwartz, Karen Desler, and Mike Cuneo. Steve Litchfield had an excused absence. Lyle Nyberg also attended.

**2. Meeting Minutes**

A motion was made and seconded to approve the minutes of the September 20 meeting of the Commission. All members present approved the motion.

**3. Form B Review**

Mr. Lyle Nyberg presented the Commission with a Form B document that he had prepared for a home at 322 Chief Justice Cushing Highway. Mr. Nyberg described the home which was built in 1914-1915 in an Italian Renaissance style. The house – named Arden – was built for Robert Haven Schauffler, who was a musician, writer, athlete, and who was awarded a Purple Heart in WWI. Commission members voted unanimously in favor of submitting the Form B to the state Historical Commission for inclusion in their MACRIS database.

**4. CPC Applications**

Doug Smith provided copies of Community Preservation Committee applications that were tagged as having a historical component. These proposals will be reviewed at the December meeting of the Historical Commission.

**5. Tercentenary Signs**

Arthur Beale provided Commission members with an update on his ultimately successful effort at the DPW to find a post that fits the tercentenary sign that was restored.

## **6. Adjournment**

The meeting adjourned at 8:05p.m.

## **7. Next Meeting**

The next meeting of the Commission is planned for 7:00pm on Thursday, December 20 at the Scituate Town Library.