

Town of Franklin Massachusetts  
**Historical Commission**  
**Agenda, Weds., July 8, 2026, 6:00 pm**  
Meeting at the Museum, 80 W. Central St

Call to Order:

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: June 10, 2026

FFHM REPORT:

SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS:

- Final expense total for 2026, Budget for 2027
- COMMUNITY PRESERVATION COMMITTEE:
- FRANKLIN 250 UPDATE
- FRANKLIN 250 Historical Sub Committee
- HORACE MANN LEGACY COMMITTEE
- ARCHIVIST UPDATE

REGULAR BUSINESS:

- Assessments and Deassessments
- Exhibit Planning

OLD AND NEW BUSINESS:

- Update on FIFA History event June 14 (SSS)
- Participation in National 13 Bells on July 4 event & reading of Declaration of Independence
- Wedding exhibit -- Thanks to Jan as well as Mary and John for making this happen.
- Reappoint Phyllis Malcolm as the Commission's Representative on the Community Preservation Committee\
- Review upcoming speakers and exhibits
- Orphanage talk/roundtable/reunion Sunday, Sept 13
- Update on Tri-County Bell Stand
- Updating veteran KIA displays -- Rowan's progress
- Display Case at Municipal Building
- Review proposed MOU for Open Mic night
- Dean College Interns etc. Rethinking how the Commission and Museum organized and how we host
- Volunteer Scheduler
- New Volunteers
- Discuss continuing updates to exhibits...status of timeline, etc
- Ic4K, Status of KiASK
- Other matters not otherwise enumerated

COMMISSIONER COMMENTS:

ADJOURN