## 9-9-2019 - Cultural Council minutes

Attendance: Ann, Diane, Kristen - Joined by Sam Montano from the Mass Cultural Council

Meeting started at: 7:32pm motioned by Ann Seconded by Diane

Ann discusses the Cultural Council with potential new members, what we do, past grants we've awarded, when and where we will be meeting for the future and how to apply to join.

June Minutes were approved

Kristen will create new rack cards to be printed and sent to town hall to update web page and get pricing.

Went through 2018-2019 grants to confirm all paperwork was submitted and paid.

Discussed talking to other local Cultural councils for ideas and to help promote our council.

Went over the Direct Payment Program with Sam, timeline, forms, and what to expect. Annual report timeline and our own council project was discussed.

Social media and email was used to promote the open grant process. See what other towns do to promote their grants.

Made the decision to not be involved in Chain of Lights for 2019, with the possibility to be involved for 2020.

Kristen went over financial meeting with Andrew Vanni.

Meetings will now be held at 7pm instead of 7:30pm located at the Town Hall The following dates:

November 18th, 2019 December 9th, 2019 January 13th, 2020 May 4th, 2020

Meeting adjourned at: 8:30pm by Ann, seconded by Diane

Chair\_

Co-Chair

Member

Member