

Town of Acushnet Acushnet Historical Commission Town Hall 122 Main Street Acushnet, MA 0274 August 16, 2022

- 1. Meeting to be held at Town Hall Meeting Room at 6:30 pm.
- 2. Motion to open Meeting:
- 3. Pledge to the Flag:
- 4. Approve minutes from June 21, Meeting:
- 5. New Business: We have a guest tonight that is looking to do an Eagle Scout project. Matthew Murray and his Dad Michael Murray.
- 6. I am also doing some research on the Taber's that lived at the corner of Hamlin St. and Main St. The daughter Paula

brought me some items that were from her mother who was Evelyn Taber. From Hamlin Street to around 396 Main Street were all Taber's back to the 1700's thru early 1900's and they are all related. Also some of her relatives lived in the Severance House from 1849-1892.Captain Walter Taber and his wife Jane Peckham Taber. After Jane's death in 1889 her son Edward kept the house for 3 more years. Between 1892 and 1939 the property changed hands 6 times. 1939 is when the Cusson family bought the home. They added the kitchen and bathroom and the second floor bedrooms.

- 7. Old Business: Verizon has changed some wiring at the Museum for the telephone lines so everything is working good.
- 8. Anything under old or new business:
- 9. Next Meeting: September 19, 2022

Paulíne Teíxeíra, Chaír Acushnet Hístorícal Commíssíon