

**CONCORD CIVIL WAR MONUMENT TASK FORCE
MINUTES OF MEETING - MARCH 14TH 2022
CONCORD MUSEUM**

Members present: Matt McGrath, Beth van Duzer, David Wood, Rick Frese, Tish Hopkins and Henry Dane

Rick opened the meeting by reporting that the Robert Gould Shaw Memorial will be rededicated at 11AM on June 1st. Rosa Hollowell, descendent of two officers in the famed 54th Massachusetts, in which Concord's George W. Dugan served, has been invited to attend the ceremony.

Vendors proposals to remove the existing tablet on the monument, design/install a new tablet with G.W. Dugan added, and clean/repair the monument were reviewed by David and Tish.

Beth provided updates on the RFP/RFQ for the monument work.

Rick will invite vendors to meet with the Task Force at the Civil War Monument at our next meeting, scheduled for **Monday, April 11th at 3PM at the Concord Monument** [weather permitting].

The Task Force plans to meet with the Select Board, tentatively scheduled for Monday, April 25th.

Assuming favorable action by the Select Board, Memorial Day 2023 is the target date for a George W. Dugan/new tablet ceremony at the Civil War Monument.

Respectfully submitted by Rick Frese.

