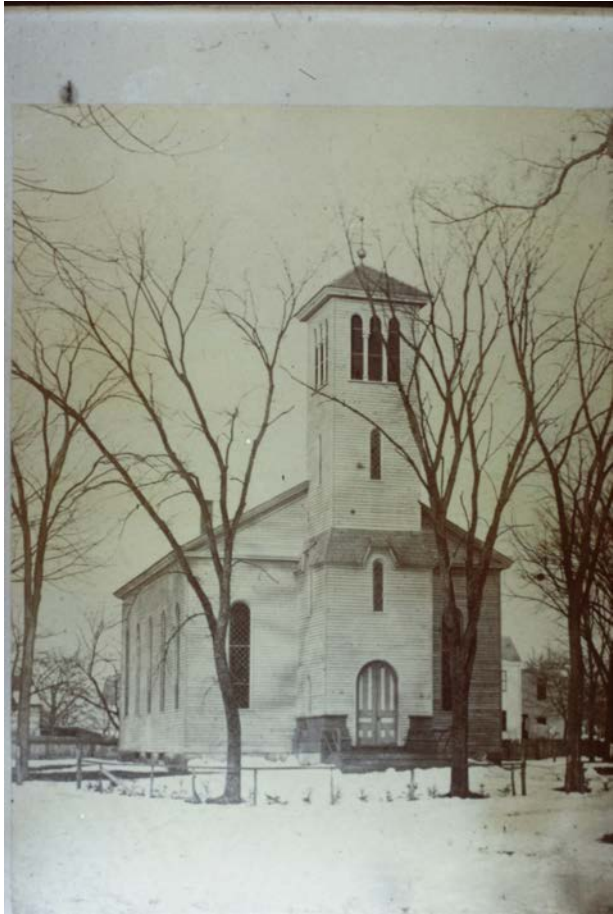


# Hancock UCC Presentation to Select Board

June 13, 2019

# Picture of Masonic Building (First Site of Hancock Church)



# Hancock Church, United Church of Christ

1912 Massachusetts Avenue



# Yellowwood Tree

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REVISED PLAN of EXISTING CONDITIONS  
for  
THE BATTLEGREEN and BUCKMAN TAVERN  
by  
THE TREE COMMITTEE  
John Frey  
Nell Walker  
Barbar Hulsizer  
for  
THE TOWN OF LEXINGTON, MASS.  
June 20, 1991  
Original Plan Drawn January 1988, Notebook 87-12

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# Picture of Tree Location



# Vote of Tree Committee

Lexington Tree Committee Meeting, August 9, 2018 at 7:30 a.m.-9:30 AM  
held at 201 Bedford Street, Samuel Hadley Public Services Building, Room 125

Members Present: Gerry Paul(Chair), John Frey, Jewel Kuljian, Anne Senning, and Nancy Sofen. Absent: Chris Filadoro, Pat Moyer, and James Wood.

1. Minutes of the July 12 and August 2 meeting were reviewed and approved. Jewel Kuljian acting as Scribe for today's meeting.

2. Hancock Church tree planting on the Battle Green. Susan Rockwell asked if the Tree Committee would support the planting of a tree on the Battle Green for the 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the church. In regards to a religious institution sponsoring the of a planting a tree on the Battle Green the Tree committee discussed the issues of the separation of church and state and the setting of a precedent for any religious institution in the future to be accorded this right. The Committee voted to approve the following statement: "The Tree Committee supports the planting of trees from the list of large shade trees in the Lexington Tree Management Manual on the Battle Green along the Massachusetts avenue side of the Green to the west of the Monument where there is open space". Nancy Sofen will send Susan the list of large shade trees.

# Picture of 300<sup>th</sup> tree plaque



# Proposed wording for new plaque

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CELEBRATING 150 YEARS