

Three new Trustees were voted onto the Board at the Annual Meeting of the Membership, November 21, 2019

Anna Flynn-Bertini, Nominating Committee Member, introduced the following potential Danvers Historical Society Board Members for Members' consideration:

Joan Whitlow – Joan and her husband Scott are residents of Danvers and new to the Society this past summer. She is looking forward to using her curatorial expertise with our Society's collections. Joan recently retired from MIT, where she was the Registrar and Collections Manager of the MIT Museum. She currently works full-time as the Executive Director of the Customs House Maritime Museum in Newburyport, and before that was the Collections Manager at the Peabody Essex Museum in Salem for over 10 years.

Attorney Louis George – Louis is a third-generation Danvers resident who has had a lifelong interest in Danvers history, since joining the Historical Society at the age of 12! He is employed as an Assistant Regional Counsel with the Social Security Administration and previously worked for the National Veterans Legal Services Program, and the US Dept. of Transportation. Louis is currently a member of the Danvers River Committee, a Town Meeting Member, and a Board member with the Salem State University Foundation. He and his wife Ellen look forward to helping to preserve the history of Danvers.

Danvers Selectman Dan Bennett – Dan is a lifetime member of the Danvers Historical Society. He and his wife, Jan, live right across from the Page House, and he has always held an interest in history and serving his community. He has been the Chair of the Danvers School Committee, a Trustee at Essex Tech, and Lt. Governor and Governor of Kiwanis New England and Bermuda District. Dan has also been a member of the Danvers Affordable Housing Committee, President of DEEP, served on the Zoning Board of Appeals, and was a library trustee. With his real estate background and networking skills, we are very fortunate to have Dan serve on our Board.