

August 4, 2026

Dear Selectpersons,

I have enjoyed being a part of so many decisions that seek to preserve the integrity of the historic district of West Tisbury, and knowing all along that without this defense to encroachment of modernism, convenience and self-interest, the historic imagery of the district would be dangerously compromised.

The members of the commission, to a person, are dedicated to keeping West Tisbury, the remarkably genuine New England town we all want it to be. In the future, I sincerely hope that the town will always be attentive to pro-active preservation, maintenance of historic properties and in support of the historic district, and its residents.

I find that I am no longer able to meet the challenges that service on this committee demand, and with great regret, I hereby submit my resignation, effective immediately.

Stay true West Tisbury, to the traditions that have made you great.

Respectfully,


Charles Kernick

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