

MINUTES  
Planning Commission Meeting 4/27/15

Present:

Committee- Kelly Emerson, Julie Oliver, Nancy Vaughan, Carrie Peters, Ranee Curtis (leaving early for family need).

Meeting called to order at 6:30pm.

Carrie made motion to accept minutes from previous meeting, Julie seconded-passed with all in favor.

Reviewed plans/requirements for getting minutes and agenda posted for public.

It was found that The Bridge Weekly is the paper of interest for posting.

**New Business**

Carrie shared correspondence regarding work being done at Boyce residence.

Carrie shared Barnet's Town Plan and we looked at Danville Town Plan online.

Went over pages 1-5 (Introduction and History) and discussed the 2 added elements that will be needed.

Worked on first section of Groton Town Plan that seems to need updates (LAND USE - pages 6-13) and assigned members with different topics to follow up on, or get clarity about. All will bring back to the next meeting for more discussion and fine tuning as we move forward creating an updated plan.

As we move through the process, we discussed working in collaboration with BMU and the Community Relations Committee, Groton Recreation Committee, and Groton Community Club to build a strong sense of community. Also, the importance of getting information out and getting input from the towns people.

**Past Business**

**Notes/Topics of Ongoing Interest/Moving Forward**

September=Grant Application for Planning Commission due & Rough Draft completion goal

**Next Meeting & Agenda Items**

Monday, May 11, 2015, 6:30pm at The Groton Library

- Approval of 04/27/15 minutes.
- Sharing of information and updates on topics/questions discussed in Land Use Section of current plan.
- Compare to other Town Plans for wording, ideas, interests.
- Update draft and next steps of Land Use section.
- Set next meeting and agenda.

Meeting adjourned at 8:05pm

The minutes are in draft format and are unofficial until formally approved by the committee at a subsequent meeting.