October 19, 2022 Pathway Committee Meeting Minutes

Location: Town Hall Room 112 and Remote via Zoom

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Attendance: RECEIVED

Members

Kevin Cafferty, Chair Present via Zoom Brendan Sullivan, Member Present via Zoom

James Kelliher, Member Absent

Patrick Palzkill, Member Present via Zoom

Bill Lazzaro, Rec Rep. Absent

Heather Hanley, Alt. Present via Zoom
Pamela Brake, Alt.
Present via Zoom

Doug Luoma, Conn Comm Rep., Member Absent

Staff

Ilana Quirk, Dir. Of Planning Present Room 112 Kristin Ford, Adm. Assist. Present Room 112

CALL TO ORDER

Motion: by Brendan Sullivan to open the meeting (6:02pm) and approve the agenda as submitted; and the motion was duly seconded and unanimously voted by roll call vote 5-0-0.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion: by Brendan Sullivan to accept the minutes September 21, 2022, as written; and the motion was duly seconded and unanimously voted by roll call vote 4-0-1.

BILLS

None

CITIZEN COMMENTARY

None

BUSINESS ITEMS

Wompatuck Park Discussion:

Patrick Palzkill discussed different locations for the Keith Hague Memorial bench. Ilana Quirk will work with Conservation to discuss its preference on location and bench style.

Masthead Drive, North River Access:

The CPC Application was circulated to the members. Next month CPC will notify the PC of their date to come in and discuss the application. Brendan Sullivan noted that the Committee should think through the CPC presentation.

Vinal School/Samuel Woodworth Walking Path

Ilana Quirk recently walked the site. She described the pathway as roughly 6' wide and said the subdivision portion of the path, roughly 300' is not in terrible condition - but the point where the path leaves the subdivision and crosses over the property boundary line with the Vinal School property, that portion of the path needs design and construction work that will be a challenge as this portion of the path is steep and appears to have been created by people walking on it.

She reviewed the 1969 subdivision decision and it refers to an easement for the path; however, she did not find an easement. She will perform some more digging. The HOA may hold an easement.

Tasks to complete for the next meeting:

- Ilana to reach out to the Conservation regarding Wompatuck bench
- Start to prepare CPC presentation
- Ilana to complete look for Samuel Woodworth easement

Next Meeting

November 16, 2022, 6 pm Room 112/Zoom

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, motion was made by Kevin Cafferty to adjourn at 6:30 P.M. Duly seconded and unanimously voted by roll call vote.