Norwell Pathways Committee Minutes February 9, 2010

Present: David Osborne, David Vose, Christine Josti, Anne Staples, Kevin Cafferty,

Scott Raeside and Todd Thomas

Non-members present: Teresa Burnett, Skip Besaw, Stacy Beltrami, Sharmilia Biswan,

Frank Flynn

7pm. Discussion with Farrar Farm neighbors about the Pathways Committee intent on creating a pathway along Farrar Farm Road, through the water department easement on the Flynn property, to the paper road connecting to Brantwood Road.

The neighbor's concerns are:

-How many people would use the pathway?

-Safety regarding pond next to route

-Screening materials

David Osborne will go to look at pond to see if some of these concerns can be addressed. The committee does not feel there will be a dramatic increase of traffic on Farrar Farm Road.

The walk on February 5 included Todd Thomas, David Osborne, David Vose, Joe Longo and Justin Lamoureux (both from Horsely Witton). The walk went well and confirmed the Pathway vision with the HW plans. There will be some hurtles such as wetland and conservation issues, but there is more upland than originally thought.

Upcoming meeting with Planning Board and CPC will be attended by David Vose (and possibly Kevin Cafferty) to explain why we put in a \$400,000 request (phase one construction and phase two design).

The Selectman and Council are still working on the Horsely Witton contract.

The Kivells of 211 Pleasant Street have still not responded by to Scott's phone inquiries.

Adjourned Meeting at 9:10pm (motion by David O. and seconded by Kevin).

Next meeting on February 22, 2010 in room 112 at town hall.

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