

DATE: September 19,2007
 TIME: 7:30pm
 ADJOURNED: 9:30pm

PLACE: NB Community Church, Parlor
 NAME OF RECORDER: Wm. Morrissey

NEXT MEETING DATE, TIME AND LOCATION: NB Community Church, Parlor October 3rd, 7:30pm

FTRS MEETING MINUTES

COMMITTEE/GROUP NAME: Foot Traffic & Road Safety

MEMBERS PRESENT: Cyndi Katz, Gail Parker, Pat Jennings, Bill Morrissey, Randy Parker, Sandi Van Scoyoc, Jay Marden, Linda Shea, Candy Woodbury, Ram Maddali (NH DOT Bureau of Planning and Community Assistance), Wendy Perron, Kate Fitzpatrick, Jim Eggers, Louise Robie, and Sue Martin

TOPICS	DISCUSSION	ACTION	KEY PERSON
Welcome and Introductions	Sandi opened with an announcement that the goal for funding the speed monitor for the NBPD was met. The committee raised more than the needed \$4,260 as several members of the committee had not yet contributed until the last days of fundraising. The additional money will be utilized by Chief Krajenka to paint NBPD on the exterior. Sandi reviewed the agenda and introduced Ram Maddali from NHDOT.		
Millpond pedestrian bridge discussion	<p>Ram discussed three phases of the project: design, obtaining all necessary rights of way and construction. He also mentioned the possibility of obtaining an increase in funding from the DOT as the project ages and develops more costs due to inflation or cost overruns.</p> <p>The committee reviewed the options for obtaining the matching funds needed to build the bridge and decided to move forward with both a warrant article and fundraising.</p>	<p>Contact Town of Dublin to discuss their CSS project coordination</p> <p>Rewrite the warrant article. Obtain a new bridge cost estimate and/or inflationary numbers for the project. Check on schedule and limit to get on CIP agenda.</p>	<p>Bill</p> <p>Sandi Bill and Randy</p> <p>Sandi</p>

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Right of Way	<p>The committee reviewed the reasons for our 388/502 warrant article defeat. There was discussion about the New Boston Bulletin article opposing the bridge. Several people expressed their anger and dissatisfaction with the timing of the article. The Selectman's views and recommendations were also discussed.</p> <p>It was determined that the Conservation Commission's support would go a long way in helping persuade the voters to vote yes to fund the project.</p> <p>The work to be done in town under the Context Sensitive Solutions may provide us with the visual rendition of footpaths and bike paths that we need to show how the bridge is a link to key destinations in town.</p> <p>Jim Eggers representing Ragamufens LLC, owner of the land to which the bridge will connect, presented the committee with a final draft of the a contractual agreement which will lead to a scenic easement. His son Attorney Chris Eggers and Attorney Jed Callen collaborated to create a document to accommodate all parties. Thanks from our grateful committee!</p>	<p>Rework site plan and maps for easier viewing and dissemination to the public. Create a model of the bridge and a drawing of the connected pathways throughout town. Obtain NBSC involvement</p> <p>Obtain list of objections from CC via Kim Burkhammer</p> <p>Finalize agreement with signatures</p>	<p>Wendy, Bill and Randy</p> <p>Kate</p> <p>Sandi</p> <p>Bill</p>
FTRS/Crosswalks	<p>NHDOT has signed off on the crosswalk. The town is now free to cut the curb and paint the crosswalk from the Library to the Apple Barn.</p>	<p>Follow-up with Burton</p>	<p>Pat</p>
Point person for the bridge project	<p>Dona Fairbairn has moved to Utah. We will need a new point person to head up the effort for the bridge. Sandi put it out to the committee that the responsibilities may also be split up and shared among members. A job description was recommended.</p>	<p>Discussion for next meeting</p>	<p>Sandi</p>