

Village Pathway Committee
Meeting Minutes 10/15/09

Members Present:

Liz Lapham Ginny Lovett
Dave Sias Carole Gerken Ann Brienza

Staff Present: Angela LeBrecque

The meeting commenced at 2:30 pm.

The minutes from 9/3/09 were approved.

Old Business:

- Pathway description Revision 11 was reviewed. The final revision with corrections was approved by the committee.
- Pathway map (submitted by M. Therrian 9/28/09) was reviewed and additions and deletions were made. The revised map with corrections and deletions was approved by the committee
- Brief discussion was held on methods and locations of distribution of the brochure. After the brochure is printed this will be further discussed.
- After the revisions are completed, Liz will arrange a meeting with Town Manager, Phil Warren. Liz will notify the committee by email when that meeting is taking place. We will then schedule our next committee meeting. Possible meeting dates for our next meeting are Nov.12, or Dec 3.

New Business:

- Liz reported that she asked Carole to chair a sub-committee on "Safe Routes to School". Angela gave her a booklet from the State of NH program to encourage students to find save routes for school travel. If Carole decides she has the time to devote to chairing this sub-committee, she will meet with Angela to form a committee from parents, students and school personnel and members of the Pathways committee. Angela reported that there is one more year to apply for a grant. NHDOT grants are available for possible infrastructure changes. Carole and Angela have had email correspondence on this subject.
- Liz requested that Dave chair a sub-committee regarding biking routes. Brief discussion was held about possible improvement of bike routes especially on Meredith Neck Road. Long range plans for routes to Town beaches was also mentioned.
- Angela will be reviewing the 2010 master plan and would like concepts from our committee.
- Carole brought up the subject of expanding the Pathways Committee. It was decided to submit names of potential committee members to Liz via email by the next meeting. There will be a need for members to help with brochure replenishment and reporting maintenance issues, (trash cans along pathway routes, etc).

The meeting was adjourned at 3:35 pm

Submitted by Ann Brienza 10/16/09