Open Space Committee, May 12, 2023, Virtual Meeting

Members Present: Susan Girard-Irwin, Thomas Bow, Nick Norman, Janice Parky

Ms. Girard-Irwin called the meeting to order at 12:02

Minutes of the April 14, 2023 meeting were approved.

Open Space and Recreation Plan: Ms. Girard-Irwin reported that the Plan is still on target to be submitted to the State by July 15, 2023. She and Mr. Norman have submitted their edits to Barbara Carboni and are waiting for Ms. Carboni and Susan Areson, Select Board, to finish with their edits.

Strategic Housing Authority and Conservation Trust Meeting: Neither Ms. Girard-Irwin nor Mr. Bow had the opportunity to reach out to Kevin Grunwald, Housing Authority Chairperson but will do so. Ms. Girard-Irwin reported that the CPC allotment for Housing has risen from 10 to 60% of the annual funded amount.

Vacancies on OSC: Members are looking to fill one vacancy on the Committee.

Other: The newly released availability of the purchase of 40 acres of the Noones property by the Town was discussed. The Committee will stay on top of any developments as they occur, as a possible mixed use parcel.

Next Meeting: TBD

Meeting adjourned at 12:22

