

Present: Chairman Sandy Hislop, Barbara Hill, John Frink, Robert Simms, Peggy Lamson, Jack Pare, Chris Cross, Planner Tom Morgan. Denis Hebert arrived late.

Minutes: The minutes of meeting held 3-10-03, were amended by correcting the name of member Robert Simms from Simmonds and accepted as amended on a motion by Barbara Hill, seconded by Jack Pare.

Correspondence:

Letter to Tyco Cable Systems - again requesting information on their plans for undeveloped land on Woodbury Ave.

Letter from DES acknowledging letter from Board endorsing the DES plans for upgrading the Spaulding Tpk, Nimble Hill Rd intersection.

Copy of letter from Attorney Stephen Tober to Attorney Loughlin re: proposed restaurants on Woodbury Ave.

Also distributed to each member: Copy of SB 70 (regional interceptor sewer lines and outfall pipelines).

Copy of SB 115 (establishing a commission to study the above).

Board discussed the house bill proposals and agreed that the Selectmen should invite Senator Cohen to meet with the Selectmen & Planning Board to discuss the proposed option to have the outfall into the Piscataqua River. Board cited a study some years ago that showed the flushing action in the river does not work and this section of the proposal could have grave environmental impact.

Board also agreed that a member of Newington's Sewer Commission should be invited to serve on the study commission to be established.

A letter, voicing the Boards concerns , will be mailed to each sponsor of the above bills.

Copy of HB 712 (changes to laws on State and Regional Development).

Initial draft of some Goals & Objectives for updating Master Plan.

Master Plan:

Denis Hebert arrived at this time.

Gail Klanchesser presented a compilation of the survey replies (samples of information available from computer data base}.

Tom Morgan suggested that Board study the queries and convert pertinent info into readable narrative for inclusion in the Master Plan.

Board briefly discussed the advantages or disadvantages in considering the length of residency in the replies - concluded that in some, but very few, instances it could be helpful.

Tom Morgan pointed out that the surveys will be part of the basis for the update but the Board must also use their knowledge of the Town and its needs.

Board proceeded to review the suggested Goals & Objectives added additional goals and made other changes to the draft.

Tom Morgan will rewrite the draft for the Board's consideration at the next work session.

The meeting adjourned at 9:25 p.m. on a motion by Peggy Lamson, seconded by Jack Pare.

Pat Main
Secretary

