

Town of Windham

Town Offices 8 School Road Windham, Maine

Meeting Minutes - Final-revised

Planning Board

Monday, February 24, 2020 7:00 PM Council Chambers

1 Call To Order

2 Roll Call and Declaration of Quorum

The meeting was called to order by Vice Chair, Keith Elder. Other members present were: Michael Devoid, Drew Mayo, Kaitlyn Tuttle, Tyler Dunlea, and Charles Hawkins.

Planner, Jenn Curtis, was also present.

3 PB 20-019 Approval of Minutes: February 10, 2020

Attachments: Minutes 2-10-2020 - draft

Under Adjournment, "Seconded by Colin Swan." was corrected to be a statement and not a question.

Charles Hawkins made a motion to approve the minutes of the February 10, 2020 meeting.

Seconded by Drew Mayo.

Vote: All in favor.

Other Business

4 PB 20-018 Annual Administrative Meeting

Attachments: PB memo Housekeeping 2-19-20

Rules of the Planning Board 03-25-19

PlanningBoard Manual and appendices (rewrite Feb. 2017)-FINAL

a. Elect Chair

Keith Elder agreed to serve as Chair.

Vote: All in favor.

b. Elect Vice Chair

Kaitlynn Tuttle nominated Drew Mayo.

Vote: All in favor.

- c. Review Committee Assignments/Elect Members
- Long Range Planning Committee

Michael Devoid nominated Charles Hawkins.

Vote: All in favor.

- Marijuana Ordinance Committee Kaitlynn Tuttle would remain on the committee.
- Private Roads Ad Hoc Committee Michael Devoid would remain on the committee.
- d. Review Rules of the Planning Board

Consensus of the Board was to:

- Begin meetings at 6:30 instead of 7:00.
- Determine when site walks would be held on a case by case basis

There was discussion regarding a suggestion from a member of the public that the Board hold a public hearing when it considered an amendment to a site plan which would change a condition of approval.

- Typically amendments were minor issues.
- Requiring a public hearing would make an applicant wait for another meeting.
- The Board liked having a choice or whether or not to require a public hearing.
- The requirement for public hearings was addressed in the ordinances, not in the Planning Board Rules.
- Consensus of the Board was not to change the public hearing option.

Charles Hawkins made a motion to change the Planning Board meetings from 6:30 to 7:00.

Seconded by Kaitlyn Tuttle.

Vote: All in favor.

5 Workshop

Town Attorney, Kristin Collins reviewed Planning Board practices and procedures:

- · Access to Public Records
- Public Meetings
- o Quorum
- o Executive Sessions
- Required Notice
- o Electronic Communications
- o Records Retention
- o Rights of Members of the Public
- Application Review
- o Jurisdiction
- o Applicant Standing
- o Completeness
- o Bias
- o Conflict of Interest
- o Waivers
- o Decision Making

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- o Third-Party Review
- o Reconsideration

6 Adjournment

Drew Mayo made a motion to adjourn.

Seconded by Michael Devoid.

Vote: All in favor.

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