MOULTONBOROUGH, NEW HAMPSHIRE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PROGRAM COMMITTEE

Minutes of August 4, 2010 Site Visit – Moultonborough Public Safety Building

Members Present: Kim Dubuque, Chair; Alan Ballard; Peter Jensen; Jane Fairchild; Barbara Rando; Dan Merhalski.

Absent: Joel Mudgett, Heidi Davis.

Town Staff Present: David Bengston, Fire Chief; Tom Dawson, Police Chief; Scott Fulton, Police Dept.

Chairman Kim Dubuque called the Capital Improvements Program Committee (CIPC) Site Visit to order at 9:04 am.

The committee members met with Fire Chief Dave Bengston to discuss the vehicle replacement schedule and discuss fire fighting operations in the conference room of the Public Safety facility. Among the items discussed was the current usage and replacement of the Town fire boat, and possible upgrades to the Moultonboro Neck Fire Station for energy efficiency. The committee also reviewed the priorities listed on the vehicle replacement schedule.

Following this discussion, the committee toured the Fire Department facility and inspected the current vehicles and equipment within this department.

Following the meeting with the Fire Chief, the committee thanked Chief Bengston and met with the Police Chief, Tom Dawson, and Detective Scott Fulton to tour the Police Department side of the building.

The tour included the full process of booking suspects, as well as the interview, equipment and evidence rooms. Discussion from the committee members focused on the current vehicle replacement schedule and the pending discontinuance of the Ford Crown Victoria Police Interceptor vehicle in 2011. The committee also discussed possible capital projects within the Department including upgrading of the dispatch center and addition of a public complaint room to eliminate the current need to escort members of the public wishing to lodge a complaint against another person through the entire facility and meeting with them in the interrogation rooms.

The committee members expressed their thanks to Chief Dawson and Detective Fulton.

The Site Visit was ended at 11:28 am.

Respectfully Submitted,

Daniel Merhalski, Town Planner Capital Improvements Program Committee, Ex-Officio Member