

NOTES
April 29, 2008
West Boylston
TOWN WIDE PLANNING COMMITTEE

TWPC members present: Mr. Gaumond, Mr. Greenough, Ms. Dunn, Dr. Tashjian, and Ms. Harris.

TWPC members absent: Mr. Kevin McCormick, Mr. Baker, Ms. Feland, Ms. Pare, Ms. Meola, Mr. Evans, and Mr. Fishbein

Also present: Mr. John Westerling, DPW; Chris Rucho, Selectman; Mr. Vignaly and Ms. Wyatt, Open Space and Recreation.

The meeting was called to order at 7:16 by the Chairman, Mr. Gaumond, noting that there was not a quorum present. No votes were taken at this meeting.

Mr. Westerling met with the Committee to report his department's progress on implementing their Master Plan Goals.

Access to Industrial Area - Paving of Tivnan Drive by the State will improve access.

Composting - Budget restraints limit composting hours.

Park Maintenance - Plan has been submitted to Select board.

Route 12 Reconstruction - Request for reconstruction of both Route 12 and Route 140 have been rejected by Mass Highway.

Pavement Management - A pavement management survey and plan are being developed by CMRPC.

Sidewalks - A sidewalk survey was done by members of the Transportation Committee and the information is being processed by CMRPC. They are mapping location and condition of the Town's sidewalks.

Sewer policy has been completed and accepted by Commissioners.

Open Space Master Plan report

The Draft of the Open Space and Recreation Plan 5-year update has been completed and the committee is looking for comments. A Public Hearing will be held in June. They are asking all town boards and committees for their input. They want the Park Commission's comments by May 15th if possible. Would like to include a sewer map.

The TWPC still needs new members from the School Committee and the Finance Committee.

Warrant Articles for May Town meeting were not acted upon because of the lack of a quorum.

Next Meeting will be on June 10, 2008.

Meeting was adjourned at 9:25pm.

Minutes approved 9/2/08

Charles Greenough, Clerk