

Notes
November 3, 2008
West Boylston
TOWN WIDE PLANNING COMMITTEE

TWPC members present: Mr. Gaumond, Mr. Greenough, Ms. Harris and Mr. Fishbein.

TWPC members absent: Mr. Kevin McCormick, Ms. Feland, Ms. Meola, Ms. Pare,
Mr. Evans, Dr. Tashjian, and Ms. Dunn.

The meeting was called to order at 7:17 by the Chairman, Mr. Gaumond noting that there was not a quorum present and that no votes would be taken.

The October 7, 2008 meeting had been canceled and the minutes of the September 2, 2008 meeting were held over until we had a quorum present.

The Chairman informed the Committee that Mr. Rick Shaw was no longer the School Committee's Representative to the TWPC.

Mr. Gaumond reported he had contacted the DCR about the possibility of funds for updating the Master Plan and had been told there were no funds available for technical assistance to the watershed towns this year. However they might be able to help us by providing maps, etc.

A general discussion was held on the process of updating the Master Plan. It was agreed we should try to hire a consultant to run the SWOT process if possible.

The Committee also discussed ways in which to re energize the committee so that we would be able to effectively complete this updating process. Too many members do not seem to be making the effort to attend our meetings which makes it impossible to get anything done.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:40pm.

Charles Greenough, Clerk