Town of Addison
Addison Planning Commission
65 VT ROUTE 17W
Addison, VT 05491

Meeting: Monday, February 17,2025 **Unapproved (Approved on 03/18/25)**

Board Members present: Starr Phillips, Michael Hollis, Jeff Kauffman Jr. Jennifer Barrett and Adam Thoman.

Zoning Administrator Daniel Rossignol has been appointed as the new ZONING ADMINISTRATOR.

Others present at the meeting were Terry Phillips, Peter Briggs and Katie Raycroft-meyer.

Absent: All board members present.

Chair Jeff Kauffman, Jr. called the meeting to order at 6:33 PM asking for roll call of member present. (5)

In a motion made by Michael Hollis, seconded by Starr Phillips to approve the "SPECIAL" meeting minutes of January 06,2025 meeting minutes as presented with a clarification made. (5) in favor.

In a motion made by Adam Thomas, seconded by Michael Hollis to approve the meeting minutes of January 29,2025 as presented. (5) in favor.

During public comment time the board members discussed the snow and snowmobiling in the where Jennifer comes from. Do you get a lot of snow and are there any small towns nearby to compare with or not?

The meeting was turned over to Katie Raycroft-meyer for her next presentation on revisions for the new Town Plan. She had a new format for us to look at with some of the work that has already been done.

1. She suggested putting the changes into the new format.
2. NATURAL HISTORY AND RESOURCES
3. Compared the new format with what's in the Town Plan.
4. Lots of goals & objectives—tried to see if they would fit or do changes need to be made.
5. The POLICY section was very broad---so changes will need to be made.
6. RESILIENCY --- should have its own section.
7. GOALS do we need to change some & enhance others.
8. OBJECTIVES—need some changes & needs to enhance some areas.
9. Work with Town areas & groups.
10. AGRCULTURE BLOCK, NATURAL RESOURCES may need to move some sections around.
11. ECONOMY, CURRENT LAND USE, CONSERVATION often tie together.
12. WILDLIFE---continue to preserve.
13. ADDISON AGRICULTUREAL RESOURCES –may move to another section.
14. ENERGY---to be worked on at the February meeting & presentation.
15. Some of the goals & policy items in the different districts may need to be removed entirely or added to a different section or district. for it to be more efficiently defined or used.

ENERGY factual ---how much renewal energy does Addison really use?

We need to take the online training for "ETHICS" for credit as a town employee. (have until September 2025).

Katie will be back at our March 17th meeting for her next presentation on revisions for the Town Plan.

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Next meeting is scheduled for Monday, March 17,2025 at 6:30 pm at the Addison Community Center with Katie Raycroft-meyer doing her presentation first before our business meeting. We'll update the Town Survey progress ands discuss what our follow up is now

Adjourn: A motion was made by Michael Hollis, seconded by Jennifer Barrett to adjourn at 8:10 PM. All in favor.

Submitted by:

Starr I. Phillips, Secretary

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We need to do our ETHICS training (some of us)

To continue working on the Town Plan with revisions.

Discuss the Town Survey progress & what the follow up is.

Next meeting planned for Monday March 17,2025.