

COMMUNITY PRESERVATION COMMITTEE

September 13, 2017

Present: Brian Litchfield, Co-Chair, Sandy Slavin, Co-Chair, George Barrett, Joe Leggett, Barbara Smith, Sherbie Worthen

Guest: Ken Buckland, Director of Planning and Community Development

Call to Order: Brian Litchfield opened the meeting at 6:05pm.

Minutes, 8/23/17: Sandy Slavin moved to accept minutes, Barbara Smith seconded. Vote: 5-0-1

Projects Updates:

- Playgrounds: Oakdale is expecting equipment, mid-October. Lukey has permission from ConComm to remove some trees for improved visibility.
- Wesleyan Church legal issues: Court will decide by end of year.

Citizens' Petitions: If selectmen vote not to place a CPA article on the warrant we may seek a citizens' petition.

Master Plan discussion: Ken Buckland gave status of new Master Plan, first update since 1998. It covers all areas eligible for CPA funding. Wareham's CPA Plan has (apparently) not been fully updated since 2006. Master Plan needs to include economic value of open space. Mr. Buckland noted there would be several appendices attached to the Master Plan. Completion date is currently end of November, 2017, with 10 years validity.

Committee will look for updated CPC plan and/or update existing plan.

Project Report: Slavin distributed and discussed project revisions.

Next Meeting: CPC Public Hearing, 6:00pm, September 27, 2017.

Adjournment: Motion made and accepted to adjourn at 7:20pm.

Respectfully submitted by Sherbie Worthen, clerk, Community Preservation Committee

Sherbie Worthen

10/18/17