

Town of Stow

Planning Board Minutes 4-2-2019

Opening: The Planning Board meeting was called to order at 6:00pm in Stow, Maine by Steve Dupuis.

Present

Planning Board Members: Steve Dupuis, Tony Higgins, Cliff Brown, Cindy Butters, Carrie Garland

Residents/Guests:

Approval of Minutes: Minutes unanimously approved from previous meeting.

Old Business: Mass gathering ordinance was passed at the town meeting. A print out needs to be added to the current ordinances.

The planning board is still short one alternate.

New Business: National Forest has released a proposed Cold River Vegetation Project. This will encompass the towns of Stow, Chatham and Stoneham. The proposed project involves timber harvesting and dam removal. Carrie Garland will add a link to the town's website.

An ordinance needs to be drafted to prevent commercial water extraction in Stow. Jim Wilfong should be contacted to help with correct wording. Steve Dupuis recommends holding an informational meeting soon.

Currently there is no "building code" in town. Cliff Brown suggests that the town adopt the International Building Code.

Adjournment: Meeting was adjourned at 6:40 by Steve Dupuis. Next meeting will be May 7, 2019 at 6:00pm.

Minutes submitted by Carrie Garland.