**Town of Stow**

Planning Board Minutes 9-3-2019

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

**Present**

**Planning Board Members:** Steve Dupuis**,** Melvin Peterson**,** Cindy Butters, Carrie Garland

**Residents/Guests:** N/A

**Approval of Minutes:** Minutes unanimously approved from previous meeting.

**Old Business:** Jim Wilfong recommends implementing the Water extraction ordinance that the Town of Brownfield approved. It is the Stow Planning Board position to not allow any commercial water extraction in Stow at all.

Steve Dupuis sat in on the Selectmen meeting and would like to reiterate the when persons come to a planning board meeting, they will be allotted a 15-minute time frame for speaking. Any more than that will have to be scheduled for another meeting. Respect is of the utmost importance in addressing the board.

**New Business:** Melvin Peterson wants the conditional use permits to fall back on the state laws.

Town ordinances need to be more in line with this will allow for easier enforcement.

The planning board needs to come up with the priorities and objectives what its planning for the next upcoming year.

**Adjournment:** Meeting was adjourned at 7:00 by Steve Dupuis. Next meeting will November 5, 2019 at 6:00pm. There will be no October Meeting.

Minutes submitted by Carrie Garland.