

Community Preservation Committee April 19th, 2017 – 7 PM Town of Hanover

The following minutes are from the meeting of the Hanover Community Preservation Committee held on Wednesday, April 19th, 2017, in Hanover Town Hall.

The following committee members were present: William Scarpelli, Jonathan Chu, Mary Dunn, John Goldthwait and Richard Deluca

The following committee members were absent: James Coulter

Others: Peter Matchak, Town Planner and Michaela Shoemaker, Associate Planner

The Chairman William Scarpelli opened the meeting at 7PM.

David Fisk, representative of the First Congregational Church restoration project, updated the Committee on the project. Mr. Fisk explained that the restoration project has come out to be more expensive than originally projected. With the current budget the church is looking at getting the sash replaced and not the entire window. Mr. Fisk informed the Committee that Pepsi is going to donate to the project but they would still need additional money for the project including contingency money. Mr. Fisk is hoping the Church will find the funds from other sources to complete the project.

Peter Matchak, Town Planner, gave an overview of the Town Hall construction project and updated the Board on the Cupola construction.

Peter Matchak, Town Planner, discussed the Build the Boards proposed location for the two (2) outdoor skating rinks they would like to build at 495 Hanover Street at B. Everett Hall Field. The Committee discussed the budget in more detail and questioned whether all items outlined were still needed at the new location such as playground, tree removal, and water. The Committee agreed they need more clarification about the budget currently presented. Peter Matchak read to the Committee the current proposed warrant article. Mary Dunn stated the Committee should check into the fundraising efforts. Richard Deluca asked Peter Matchak to contact Build the Boards to discuss the Committee's concerns with the proposed budget. Peter Matchak said he would present these questions from the Committee to Build the Boards. Mary Dunn stated she liked that they worked with the Committee and town to find a new location. The Committee discussed that they would like to see continued fundraising efforts done by Build the Boards. Peter stated he will be reaching out to Build the Boards with the questions identified at the meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by: Michaela Shoemaker Associate Planner