

Town of Great Barrington Community Preservation Committee (CPC)

Minutes of June 11, 2019

Great Barrington Town Hall

Members present: Thomas Blauvelt, Lisa Bozzuto, Leigh Davis, Martha Fick, Jeremy Higa, Don Howe, Jim Mercer, Patricia Sharpe, and Karen W. Smith

Also present: Town Planner/CPA Administrator Chris Rembold

TOWN CLERK

Call to Order 5:30 PM by Chair Blauvelt

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Administrative Items

Elect Chair: Bozzuto nominated Blauvelt to be Chair, Sharpe seconded, and all were in favor.

Elect Vice-Chair: Sharpe nominated Smith to Vice Chair, Blauvelt seconded, and all were in favor JUL 22 2019 PM 3:49

Blauvelt welcomed Leigh Davis, newly Selectboard appointed member on this Committee. Members suggested there be a mentor for Davis, and Blauvelt volunteered to do so.

Fick moved, Bozzuto seconded, to approve the minutes of February 27, 2019.

Reports from Committee Members

Smith said Parks and Rec. will probably have some CPA applications for the next round.

Davis said the Selectboard and Planning Board will be talking about affordable housing needs.

Bozzuto said the McAllister work is progressing and there may be another phase ready this year.

CPA Planning for the Coming Year:

Rembold gave a brief overview of the types of projects that are eligible, and some possible applications. It was noted that the Committee voted in favor of a “committing” second grant of funds to the CDC for 910 Main Street.

All members representing other Boards were reminded to let them know that this Committee is updated the CPA Plan and welcomes their input.

It was agreed that the same deadlines would apply this year as last year—early October for Step 1 and early November for Step 2.

Upcoming Meetings:

July 9 at 5:30

August 6 at 5:30 for the CPA Plan Public Hearing

Citizen Speak None

Adjourned at 6:05 PM

Minutes prepared by:

