

**GREAT BARRINGTON DESIGN ADVISORY COMMITTEE**  
**MASON LIBRARY**  
**231 MAIN STREET**

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 16, 2023**  
**5:00 P.M.**

**PRESENT:** **JENNIFER CLARK**  
**JACKIE KAIN**  
**JB BRODEUR**  
**STEVE DIETEMANN**

**I. CALL TO ORDER**

Ms. Clark called the meeting to order at 5:02 P.M.

**II. MINUTES: JULY 26, 2022**

**MOTION:** Ms. Kain to approve the minutes of July 26, 2023 as amended.

**SECOND:** Mr. Dietemann

**VOTE:** All in favor

**III. PERMITS**

There were no permits

**IV. DISCUSSION OF SIGN PERMITS:**

The Committee continued discussion of its role in the permitting process in the B-District. The Committee discussed the large mural painted on the exterior of one of the Main Street buildings. The discussion included the by-right ability of murals to be put on buildings. There was discussion of possibly including murals in the bylaws for review by DAC.

The Committee discussed how relevant it is as part of the review and permitting process. The consensus was that the Committee is relevant and has a valuable role in the permitting process in the downtown districts.

Ms. Kain and Mr. Dietemann will have a discussion with Mr. Rembold and Mr. Pruhenski prior to the October meeting.

**V. CITIZEN'S SPEAK TIME:**

Dr. Ruby Chang was present but when she began to speak it was clear she was not at the meeting she intended to attend.

No one else spoke.

Having concluded the Committee business, Ms. Clark adjourned without objection at 5:57 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

*Kimberly L. Shaw*

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Secretary