



TOWN OF WINDHAM, NEW HAMPSHIRE

HIGHWAY SAFETY COMMITTEE

POST OFFICE BOX 120, 3 NORTH LOWELL ROAD, WINDHAM NH 03087-0120

HIGHWAY SAFETY MEETING

- FEBRUARY 10, 2006

On February 8, 2006, the Department Heads discussed the following requests for highway safety improvements and made the following recommendations.

Attendance: David Sullivan, Al Turner, Tom McPherson, Gerry Lewis, Al Barlow, and Jack McCartney were in attendance. Pat Yatsevich, Rebecca Hebert and Rex Norman were also present. Meeting began at 10:00 am at the Planning and Development Offices.

HIGHWAY SAFETY ISSUES:

Lowell Road Bike Paths –

The Committee discussed the joint Town and State project to construct bike paths along both sides of Lowell Road between the Center School and the Golden Brook School along with drainage and road improvements associated with the project.

Mr. McCartney moved to have the Highway Safety Committee endorse the project as proposed but to recommend that the State maintain the present speed limit on the road and not to consider any increases once the project is completed. Mr. Turner seconded. Passed unanimously.

Mr. Turner moved to authorize both the Acting Fire Chief, Thomas McPherson, and Police Chief Gerald Lewis, to speak on behalf of the Committee at the State Public Hearing on the project. Passed unanimously.

Spruce Pond Development – H and B Homes

The Committee reviewed a list of proposed street names submitted by the projects developer for consideration and recommendation to the Board of Selectmen. In its review, the Committee considered E911 and any conflicts that the proposed names had with similar sounding roads already in existence, eliminating any which could cause confusion. The names to be recommended were:

Buckland Road, Finch Road, Hanover Road, Jacob Road, Mallard Road, Morning Dove Road, Nathan Road, Newbury Road, Owl Road, Sparrow Road, Taninger Road, Victoria Road, Walnut Road.



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Mr. McPherson moved to recess the meeting until 12 pm on February 9, 2006 for the purpose of developing a draft list of road names to be submitted to the Selectmen for consideration and approval. Such names on the approved list could then be selected by developers when submitting proposed plans before the Planning Board. Mr. Lewis seconded. Passed unanimously.

February 9, 2006 –

The Committee reconvened at 12 pm and developed a proposed list of road names to be submittal to the Historic District Commission and Historic Committee for comments. Once comments have been received and considered, the list will be submitted to the Board of Selectmen for review and approval. The names on the proposed list were taken from Morrison's "History of Windham" book.

Mr. McPherson moved to adjourn. Mr. Lewis seconded. Passed unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 12:55 pm

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