

**TOWN OF NORTHUMBERLAND
PLANNING BOARD MINUTES (DRAFT)
Weds., January 4, 2023
Groveton PD/Ambulance Bldg. - Meeting Room
10 Station Square
Groveton, NH
6:00 P.M.**

DURING THE MEETING MASKS ARE RECOMMENDED

Planning Board members present: Al Rossetto (Chair), Sean Durkin, Ryan Shannon, Jim Tierney, Nicole Canavan
Others present: Elizabeth Ball (Clerk)

Al opens the meeting and asks for a motion to accept the last meeting minutes.

1. MINUTES of the December 7, 2022 Meeting – Ryan makes motion to approve, Jim seconds, all in favor, 5-0.

2. Any Other Business To Come Before the Board – Master Plan revised Oct 2014. Time to look at. Adjust census numbers, redo with public input, or revise.

Jim: can send out a mailer for public input on the old plan, may be small if any changes. Use in revision. Change census information.

Ryan has looked at it thoroughly, feels it is representative of a mill town, not how the Town is now.

Discussion of mill gone, some business in town, school tax lowered temporarily, Eversource is too expensive for business to come to town, population decline, contract with businesses looking to come to Groveton to be sure Town does not make a big investment for nothing.

Liz to get demographics, everyone to report to Liz and she will distribute.

Ryan wants to discuss what should be brought to town. Manufacturing would be desirable.

Jim discusses the agreement that Bob Chapman has with the head of Eversource to go thru their lines, so don't irritate him.

Discusses businesses who may want to come to Groveton. Public relations are poor.

Motion to adjourn made by Jim at 6:17pm, seconded by Sean, all in favor, 5-0.

Respectfully submitted,

Pam Kathan
Northumberland Planning Board Minute Taker

Next meeting February 1, 2023.

Minutes approved by Northumberland Planning Board Members on _____

X

Al Rossetto
Northumberland Planning Board Chairman

X

Jim Tierney
Northumberland Planning Board, SB rep

X

Nicole Canavan
Northumberland Planning Board Member

X

Ryan Shannon
Northumberland Planning Board Member

X

Sean Durkin
Northumberland Planning Board Member

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