

Wednesday November 17, 2021

Meeting began at 6:40 pm

Planning Commission Members Present: Brenda Fields, Dan Ruddell, Shane Young, and Israel Provoncha

Public Present: Amy Frost, Fern Strong, Lynne Hadley, Cecilie Anderson

Discussion of terms of the PC

- 7 members
- Overlapping positions
- Three year terms

Discussion about Rudi

- His institutional knowledge and experience is important to continue to have on the PC

Review of what PC does

- Selectboard will appoint someone to vacancy
- Potentially more positions available in the future
- Selectboard is looking for diversity on PC
- Primarily work on Town Plan, FEMA mitigation, but other things come up like solar farm on Belknap
- PC deals with floodplain reviews

Public Questions:

- Connection between Selectboard and PC
- Clarification of PC roles

Actions

- PC will submit names to Selectboard for consideration

Future PC topics:

- Tesla batteries for backup power in town (Brenda)
- Town resiliency - planning for the future in regards to longevity and sustainability (Cecilie)

Meeting Adjourned: 7:55 pm