

Draft Minutes

Town of Kent Streetscape Building Sub-Committee Special Meeting – Site Walk Starting at Kent Volunteer Fire Department Thursday, September 17, 2020 5:00 P.M.

Call meeting to order

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Mike Gawel at 5:00 PM.

Members in attendance: Mike Gawel, Jack Nelson, Rick Osborne, Ed Matson, John Johnson

Also in attendance: Mike Doherty of the engineering firm of Milone and MacBroome.

Walking Tour of Sidewalks

The group walked the area of proposed sidewalk renovations, discussing details of many areas. Particular attention was given to:

- 1. The north side of Maple Street between the Kent Barns and Maple Street Extension.
- 2. The northeast corner of the intersection of Main Street and Maple Street. Hiram Walker and Chris Lee joined the group briefly to discuss details in front of 3 Maple Street and 10 North Main.
- 3. The railroad crossings on both sides of North Main Street.
- 4. Sidewalks in front of the Fife and Drum Restaurant. Elissa Potts joined the group for this discussion.
- 5. Drainage problems on the west side of North Main Street from the railroad to Lane Street.
- 6. Whether sidewalk should be extended to the Kent Greenhouse on the west side of South Main Street.

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Next meeting date and time

The next meeting was set as a ZOOM meeting on Thursday September 24, at 5:30 PM, though Chairman Gawel will ask the First Selectman for permission to meet at an outdoor site, such as the pavilion at South Commons Park, so that the Committee can further review maps together.

Adjournment

Mr. Gawel adjourned the meeting. at 7:10.

Submitted by John Johnson, Secretary

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