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KENT STREETSCAPE COMMITTEE

MINUTES FROM SPECIAL MEETING

Tuesday, 6 August 2019 @ 6:30pm

A meeting was held on 6 August 2019 @ 6:30pm at Town Hall. Those **Present** on the Committee were: John Johnson, Mike Gawel, and Wes Wyrick. **Guests** included: John Nonaman , Bruce Adams and Rick Osborne. The meeting was called to order @ 6:30 by John. The following actions were taken:

- A motion to approve Meeting Minutes of 30 July 2019 was made by Mike, seconded by John, and voted to approve, 3 to 0
- Bruce reported that he met with Steve Silver regarding underground services and indicated that Eversource requires a minimum project length of 1000 feet and that conduits and underground vaults would need to be located under the road (Route 7) and that spur underground vaults would be needed to connect to buildings. This would require massive demolition and disruption in the Main Street Area. No costs were mentioned but the report was that it is "extreme expensive" due to the construction and Eversource design requirements.
- The BOS nominated Jack Nelson to replace Abigail and Jack has accepted. He should be at the next meeting.
- The Commission will endeavor to have a presentation prepared for the BOS for their 3 September meeting. Some discussions were made concerning materials and relative costs, some favoring concrete and some asphalt – discussions to be continued on relative durability.
- Mike will call Michael Doherty to inquire about pricing given in their report of May 2018
- John will ask Michael Doherty to meet with the Committee for the 20 August Streetscape Meeting at Town Hall.
- Next meeting date to be 13 August 2019 at 6:30pm at Town Hall, then proceeding on a walking tour of the Sidewalks
- Wes made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Mike at 8:00pm, carried 3 to 0.

Respectfully submitted in draft by Wes, Secretary, this 7th day of ASugust 2019