

Appleton Comprehensive Plan Committee Minutes for Oct 28, 2020

Minutes prepared by Sid Quarrier

Meeting called to order 7:10 pm.

Members present, Diane Schivera, Sid Quarrier, Lori Costigan, Gary Roberts

1. Consider the minutes of the Aug 26 meeting,. Motion to approve by Gary Roberts, seconded, no discussion. Minutes approved by unanimous vote.

2. Update of the town Comp Plan Survey. Lori Costigan reported that 5 copies of the Survey had been printed. Considering Covid 19 limitations for places for public viewing, one copy will be placed in the town office near where the tax maps are kept, Diane Schivera will take a copy to the Library, and Peter Beckett will be asked to put a digital copy on the town web site under the heading "Comprehensive Plan".

Sid Q will make up a small poster apprising the public that the completed survey is available, and post it in several locations.

3. Review and discussion of the revised History Section for the new plan.

There were several typos and related corrections made.

In the History Section, under the heading Historic Places, the item titled Cattle Pound: changes were made to remove any specific reference to a current or past landowner. The location wording is to be changed to read: " The Pound was located on the East side of Appleton Ridge Road in the vicinity of the present Pieri Pond , but on the opposite (east) side of the road"

4. The remainder of the meeting was spent reviewing and discussing the items at the end of the history section relating to the requirements and questions the State has for the town's action for conservation of its historic resources as part of the Plan. These items include: analysis of and condition of the historic resources, trends and threats, policies and strategies for conservation. Part of the State's requirements include consideration of the town's historic resources info from the Maine Historic Preservation Commission. Diane Schivera is going to contact that Commission to find out any information on Appleton.

5. The next meeting is set for Wed Nov. 18, 2020 at 7pm by zoom.