

Bowdoinham Comprehensive Planning Committee
1/10/2023 Meeting Minutes

Attendance: Dave Asmussen, Peggy Christian, Laura Arnold, Bill Stanton, Buddy Schott

Absent: Kim Bedard, Jan Frank, Joanne Joy,

Staff: Jason Lamoreau

Guest: Jim Demming

6:35 Dave called the meeting to order

Buddy agreed to be the note taker for the meeting

December minutes reviewed with amendment to correct Kim's last name, approved unanimously.

Jason is serving as the interim staff member, will post minutes, agendas, etc. on website. His email is rec@bowdoinham.com.

Added Historic District discussion to agenda.

Reviewed Economic Analysis and discussed editing description of the paddle put-in.

Laura mentioned following up with Merrymeeting Trail committee.

Bill mentioned land upriver of the new park and thinks the town/organization should look into purchasing.

Peggy mentioned the possibility of adding Bowdoinham Rowers to #9, it takes place out of the old fire station.

Skipped item #VI on the agenda (Land Use Review).

Housing Forum 2/1/2023 at Bowdoinham Community School

Dave will be attending the planning meeting for the Feb 1 Housing Forum with BCDI and asked for questions to bring up at meeting and topics to represent.

Historic District Discussion

Bill has a proposal for the planning board for the start of laying out a historic district.

Laura made a motion that Bill take the proposal developed by the historic district subcommittee to continue the effort. This will begin the process of creating a historic district in Village District I. Motion passed unanimously.

8:16 meeting adjourned