

TAMWORTH MASTER PLAN MEETING MINUTES

for

Tuesday, January 22, 2008

(The January 22, 2008 minutes are being re-sent because I put the wrong date on the last one. I'm sorry about all the excessive copies--AEA.)

Chairman Tom Peters convened the meeting at 7:07 p.m. Also present were Ann

Albrecht, Willie Farnum, Steve Gray, David Little, Becky Mason, John Mersfelder, Donna Polhamus, Robert Straw, and Ruth Timchek. Apologies were sent from Lois Maxner.

Selectmen's Letter

In order to be in compliance with the New Hampshire right-to-know law, the Tamworth Selectmen sent letters to each of the town's committees. Tom Peters read the letter to those present. The purpose of the letter is to instruct committee members about the proper way to conduct business with e-mails as well as to ensure communication between boards.

From now on, the Master Plan Meeting Minutes must be posted on the Tamworth website at <[minutes@tamworthnh.org](mailto:minutes@tamworthnh.org)>. The new website is intended to be a clearinghouse for all information.

All meetings need to be announced in advance with hard copies posted at the post offices, the town hall, and the libraries.

Before any contracts can be signed, the Master Plan Committee needs the approval of the Planning Board. A hard copy of the minutes needs to be given to the Planning Board.

Water Meters

The Selectmen's office will investigate for clarification the water meter question in regard to a block grant concerning the Tamworth Water Works. There are 60 homes and businesses on this system along Tamworth's main street and some side streets.

Goals, Recommendations, and Implementation Chapters

The different formats of the three different chapters will be coordinated.

The Implementation section will describe how goals and recommendations can be achieved. Recommendations for energy sustainability and for Internet access need to be added. The suggestion was made to invite people from the fire and police departments and other people with experience and authority to review the recommendations.

The Implementation chapter is a work in progress which will be completed during the next meeting.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 9:00 p.m.

Future Meeting

The next meeting of the Tamworth Master Plan will be on Tuesday, February 19, 2008, at the Cook Memorial Library at 7:00 p.m. Committee members, appointed by the Tamworth Planning Board, will receive letters encouraging them to attend.

Respectfully submitted,  
Ann Albrecht  
Recording Secretary