

TAMWORTH PLANNING BOARD
Groundwater Protection Ordinance Committee

Meeting Minutes

March 18, 2022

9:30 AM, Town Office Building

1. Call Meeting to Order – The meeting was called to order at 9:33 am by Sheldon Perry. Present are: Sheldon Perry, Nick Grant, Kit Morgan. Jeremy Phillips is absent. David Little is present.
2. Approval of Minutes- 2/18/22 meeting – Item 3 – Sheldon had additional information “regarding allies”. Under Item 5 second paragraph add the word AND between zoning and ground water protection ordinance. Sheldon made a motion to approve as amended

Nick Grant has joined the committee.

3. Businesses have received our GPO letter. How do we respond to their comments and questions? We have received 4 responses, all positive. The previous summary could be sent with a note that this produced in 2011. The summary needs some updating. Create a list of upcoming Green Mountain programs in Tamworth. Do not respond to the individual, respond to the community with the concern. Any stock response should include a schedule of this committee’s meetings. Specific information requests should be answered that we will discuss their concern at the next meeting.
4. Formulation of the Ordinance- Next steps. There is a State model ordinance. We have the 2011 version that was done for Tamworth. Compare the 2011 to the State model. Compare Canaan’s ordinance to our 2011 version. Sheldon will do the comparison with the Canaan version. Kit will do the same with the model ordinance. Nick will review the Canaan version as well. Jeremy can review the state ordinance as well.
Sheldon looked at an ordinance from Haverhill, but it was from 1998.
GMCG may be able to offer some input, Pierce Rigrod from the State would likely have some valuable background. Reach out to LRPC to see if they have anyone to assist.
We are not yet ready for April 4 Zoom meeting.

Map – was sent out to everyone. Someone needs to go to DES and get an updated wellhead protection area map. Sheldon will request that item, David will send him contact information for that request.

5. Action Items for our next meeting on 4/15/22.
Melissa – email Jeremy to set up a time to walk through the email process.
Ossipee Lake Alliance – meeting on April 7. Add to Planning Board agenda to work letter.
Do ordinance comparisons for the next meeting.
Sourcewater Protection Area map - Sheldon
6. Other Business.
7. Adjournment – Kit made a motion to adjourn at 10:45 am, Sheldon seconded. The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Melissa Donaldson
Recording Secretary