

Tamworth Road Committee

Draft Minutes – June 3, 2015

Draft minutes to be reviewed and approved at a subsequent meeting

Call to Order – Meeting came to order at 7:10 pm. Members present were, Ron Remick, David Little, David Bowles, and Chris Conrod. Members absent: Bob Cottrell, Lori Gerard, Paul King, David Halpin.

Review Minutes – Minutes of 05/07/2015 accepted with the acknowledgment that Clifford Streeter is deceased and consequently would not be available to interview concerning the discontinuance of a section of Washington Hill Road.

Old/New Business – Ron questioned Beverly Hammond about the discontinuance on Washington Hill road but she couldn't recall it. He also talked with his father and David Welch about the Gallop Road. They remembered that there was a house and an observatory up there but they had no recollection of that ever being a town maintained road. David L. presented a map drawn by Eliot C. Clarke (unknown date) that showed the house on Gallop Road being owned by a Whiting.

Research Needs – Reviewed two items in the research needs spreadsheet that Chris drew up.

1798-11-28-01 – layout from Ballard's on Hackett Hill to road at or near Sanbourns Mill. Ballard is mentioned in the original layout of Hackett Hill Road. Sanbourn's mill is mentioned in other layouts; located on Mill Brook at Osgood Road.

1798-11-28-02 – Watson and Rogers are mentioned in 1790-09-18-00 and are located near Dana Steele's estate. The layout roughly follows the high road over Great Hill and starts somewhere near the NW corner of Hemenway State Forest (“at old road formerly laid out by Burton”).

Alternatives to Deed Research – Batchelder Papers (not too much about Tamworth in them); The History of Carroll County; Edward Cook, who summers in Ossipee, might have advice on searching out some of the clues referenced in the layouts.

Next meeting – Scheduled for 7:00 pm, September 2, 2015 at the Town Offices.

Adjourn – Meeting adjourned at 8:50 pm.

Submitted by Chris Conrod, Road Committee Secretary