Tamworth Road Study Committee

Minutes – November 1, 2023

minutes reviewed and approved at December 6, 2023 meeting

Call to Order – Meeting came to order at 7:05 pm. Members present were Paul King, David Little, David Halpin, Lori Gerard, and Chris Conrod. Members absent:. Willie Farnum and Ron Remick.

Abenake Land Acknowledgement Statement – Paul acknowledged that this meeting was taking place on land originally occupied by the A'dakinna people.

Review Minutes – Minutes of 10/04/2023 accepted as written.

Ancient Business

Paugus Road and Fowler's Mill Road – Between Paul's review of the 1829-07-09-00 layout and David L's research on the road that parallels Paugus Brook on the west side, it was agreed that two facts were confirmed: First, the 1829-07-09-00 layout is a sloppy description of the western half of Fowler's Mill Road plus Paugus Road to the town line. Second, the Old Paugus Road, so called, is and was always a private road.

Breakneck Hill Road – Dave H reported that he could not find info on the Meader-Gilman property line locally and that it would require a trip to the Strafford County Registry of Deeds.

Paul reported that he encountered more information on DOT records and he would be revising the 113A report.

Regarding 1824-10-11-00, David L. reported that his research locates Eben Dow somewhere near Bearcamp River, and not near the area of Fowler's Mill.

Old Business

Durrell Road – Paul found a road action missing in the report (1984-03-13-30). Report needs revision.

Record copies of reports accepted at the October meeting have been emailed to all committee members. No corrections or comments received yet.

Review Road Listing Reports

Hackett Hill Road-West Class VI - OK

Hackett Hill-Durrell-Class VI – Reference both 1823 and 1824 layouts.

Old Hackett Hill-Durrell Road-Discontinued – Redo map, reference both 1823 and 1824 layouts. Correct spelling of "road" on page 2. Change status to Class VI on Stevenson land.

Day Ballard Road-Discontinued – OK

Hackett Hill Road-Class V – Reference both 1823 and 1824 layouts.

Locke Falls Road – Add plan reference: Plan Book 155, page 77.

Mt. Mexico Road – Make changes outlined in list provided by Paul.

Wells Road-Discontinued – OK

Pollard Brook-Discontinued – OK

Mill Road – add that the bridge is prescriptive.

Durrell Road - OK

Next meeting – December 6, 2023

Adjourn – Meeting adjourned at 9:02 pm.

Submitted by Chris Conrod, Road Committee Secretary