

SEPTEMBER 8, 2014 BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT MEETING MINUTES

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10.20.14  
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Melissa Horner, Jack Murphy, Ted Place, and Sally Lewin attended. Steve Reiner attended and has sent the Selectmen a letter requesting membership on the committee. Another gentleman (Scott) also attended.

The meeting began at 5:45. These minutes follow the agenda.

3. The minutes for the August 2014 meeting were unanimously approved.

4. The business welcome letters from Sally and Melissa were combined and reviewed. The final letter was unanimously approved.

5. Melissa has scheduled a meeting with the York Chamber leadership for October 22<sup>nd</sup> at 10:30 am. Members are welcome to attend as well. Sally will be there.

6. Planning Board activities were updated by Dana and Melissa. Problems with our growth ordinance could be solved easily with minor word changes to the ordinance. Years ago we had 48 permits annually. Now we have 24. People are complaining because no building permits are available. All TBD.

7. Dana has created a link for email to the committee . it is linked to his email. He can forward committee emails.

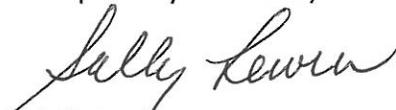
8. The Business Friendly State designation project needs more work to complete the application. However the information we had has been sent allowing us to submit the completed form asap. Steve is working with Sally and Steve Beckert to bring completed information to Dana to finish it up.

9 & 10. The Business After Hours project was discussed. Some adjustments were made to the invitation Melissa developed. Melissa has us on face book. Ted is working on sponsorships. First meeting will be March 25, 2015. Invitation to go out late February. Melissa is building a data base for internal use.

11. Rick Bates is returning to the committee.

12. Next meeting is October 20, 2014 @ 5:45.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Sally Lewin, secretary

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