Craftsbury Planning Commission
August 22, 2024 Minutes

Present: Farley Brown, Gordy Waterhouse, Rudy Chase, Ross Davis, Lucas Schulz, Reed Holden, Aliso Low (NVDA)
Absent: David Koschak, Logan Jones, Dave Rowell

1. Meeting called to order at 7:15
2. Approval of July 17 meeting minutes. Ross approved the minutes, Rudy seconded. All ayed, minutes approved.
3. Town Plan sections updates:
    a. Building Social Connections: Review of each section; Alison noted edits. Gordy stressed that it's important for people who grow up here to be able to stay here. Alison will meet again with Reed, Rudy, and David to formulate goals and strategies, and will invite Linda to join.
    b. Infrastructure, Building Social Connections, and Maintaining Ecological Balance sections are progressing. Alison says that at some point it will be important to review the document as a whole.
4. Next steps and schedule: Next regular meeting is scheduled for September 18 and a second meeting is proposed for September 25; Farley will put out an email to the Commission to check on attendance for each date. There may need to be two meetings in October as well. Farley proposes we have a draft plan for comment by the end of November.
5. Report out of Selectboard meeting: Rudy went to the Selectboard to share questions and concerns he has heard from community members. One topic was the work that went into making the Village more pedestrian friendly, especially in regards to speeding. What happens next? Once the Town Plan rewrite is complete, this may be something for the Planning Commission to revisit.
6. Other business: Rudy thanks Alison for her hard work and dedication to this project. Gordy mentions concerns about activities in floodplains.

Lucas makes a motion to adjourn at 9:05; Gordy seconds.Next meeting is September 18 at 7:00.

Minutes filed and recorded by Reed Holden.