Royalton Planning Commission

October 29, 2019

Members in attendance:

Roni Johnson

Jim Rikert

Bushrod Powers

Stuart Levasseur

David Brandau

Geo Hongiford

The meeting was called to order at 7:07 PM.

Discussion about accepting the plan for distribution as written, we have been through the plan and feel that it is ready for release. Roni Johnson made a motion to present the plan as written. Bushrod Powers seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

Discussion about how to distribute, should we charge the copying cost for individuals who request a paper copy? The Commission decided it was not appropriate to charge for copies but while we do want to limit the number of copies made because it will be a waste of resources, it was hoped that the public would realize the expense and read the initial version of the plan online, Final paper copies will be made for distribution closer to town meeting time. How many of the first draft should we print? 25 copies seemed adequate with someone monitoring the amount on hand so we can print more as needed.

There are new chapters and changes In the plan which will be of the most interest: Chapters- Energy, Forest Blocks, Health; and new sections- retail area, 500 year flood plain recommendations, land use chapter changes. We should work on a power point presentation for these changes.

Next meeting will be on November 19th due to a special town meeting on Australian Ballot voting on Nov 5th.

Bushrod Powers made a motion for adjournment, seconded by Roni Johnson. Meeting adjourned at 7:52 PM

Respectfully submitted by Stuart Levasseur, standing in for the Clerk.