

Pedestrian and Bicycle Safety Committee

May 26, 2016

7:30 p.m.

50 Carby Street

Committee Members Present: Dave Atkins (Chair); Lucy Maroun; Bob Rich (Secretary) Steven Olanoff; George Lester; Virginia Lester; Todd Korchin;

Committee Members Absent: Michael Kraft (Vice Chair); David White; Paul Sicard; Abigail McCabe; Enkelejda Klosi

Resident Attendees: Rory Laughna, 3 Noannet Circle

Meeting called to order at 7:35 pm

The April meeting minutes were approved

DPW Update: (Todd Korchin)

Article 18 from the Spring Town Meeting was approved, which appropriates the sum of \$90,000 to pay for sidewalk design on Gay Street, High Street and others to be submitted to the Complete Streets program. The deadline to apply for Complete Streets funding is July 1, 2017 and Todd is hopeful that Westwood will receive some Complete Streets funding from the state.

Traffic calming enhancements on Canton Street are almost complete. There will be a speed traffic study this fall before meeting with neighborhood groups to discuss next steps.

The new Flahive Sprint Turf athletic field and track resurfacing project will be conducted this summer. The field has an 8 year warranty and maintenance is conducted twice per year.

Upcoming road paving projects are listed on the town website.

New Business:

Dave Atkins noted that the Town is creating a new website, which will include improved search capabilities. The Bicycle Parking Design Guidelines should be added to the Town website.

Steve Olanoff reminded the committee that some previously discussed projects had not been resolved, including the traffic study of the Nahatan Street/High Street and the Pond Street/High Street intersections.

Rory Laughna expressed interest in joining the committee.

Dave Atkins, Lucy Maroun and David White are ending their terms and will not seek reappointment. The members were thanked for their service to the committee.

The next meeting will be held on Thursday, June 23, 2016 at 7:30 pm.

Meeting adjourned at 9:30 pm.