# SAFETY COMMITTEE Meeting Minutes Thursday, May 13, 2021



## Ludlow Town Hall, Board of Selectmen's Conference Room 2021 JUN 17 P 2: 35

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5:00 P.M. - CALL TO ORDER - PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Members present: Brian Shameklis-Chairman; Penny Lebel;; Seth Falconer; Ryan Churchill; Alex Simao

Members Absent: Derek Smolinski; Chris Coelho; Jeff Lavoie; Justin Larivee

#### **DISCUSSION:**

284 Ventura Street – request for a "blind driveway" sign
 The Committee met with Janet Setembro, a resident of 284 Ventura Street, to discuss her concerns about traffic coming out of the developing Hundred Acre Wood Subdivision. The Committee stated they will continue to monitor this situation as the project progresses.

• 1400 Center Street – request to remove tree at the end of the driveway

Motion: Ms. Lebel, to forward this request to the DPW for consideration

Second: Mr. Churchill Vote: 5-0 all in favor

• Owens Way – Safety Concerns by a resident

Officer Churchill stated he would reach out to the resident that filed the concerns.

Motion: Mr. Simao, to table this issue

Second: Ms. Lebel Vote: 5-0 all in favor

• Ludlow Community Center/Randall Boys & Girls Club – parking lot lines, handicap parking spaces and fire lane

The Town Administrator requested that this request be tabled by the Safety Committee as the Town is the landlord for this building.

Motion: Mr. Simao, to table this request

Second: Ms. Lebel Vote: 5-0 all in favor

• Maria's Way – traffic concern

Motion: Ms. Lebel, to send a letter to the DPW to have a "blind driveway" sign be installed on

Miller Street east bound @#377

Second: Mr. Churchill Vote: 5-0 all in favor

Complaint from a resident about lack of lighting on Swan Avenue
 An officer from the Police Department took a look at this area, there were no dark spots.
 Additional lighting was added to his area recently.

Motion: Ms. Lebel, to file

Second: Mr. Simao Vote: 5-0 all in favor

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Center Street near Haviland Pond – request for a "no jake brakes" sign

The Committee feels this is not an issulur and in purview.

Motion: Mr. Simao, to forward this request to the DPWOW

Second: Ms. Lebel Vote: 5-0 all in favor

• Swan Avenue & Chapin Street – tractor trailer struck fire hydrant

The Police Department has investigated and is handling this incident. Mr. Simao stated that all paperwork was submitted to MassDOT and they are still waiting for a response to put up road signs regarding tractor trailers on Swan Avenue.

Motion: Ms. Lebel, to file pending MassDOT follow-up

Second: Mr. Churchill Vote: 5-0 all in favor

1528 Center Street – safety concern from the resident

Motion: Ms. Lebel, to investigate this area to see if extending the guardrail will help to rectify

this situation

Second: Mr. Simao Vote: 5-0 all in favor

Crosswalk at Chapin Street and New Crest Street needs repainting

Motion: Ms. Lebel, to forward this request to the DPW for consideration

Second: Mr. Simao Vote: 5-0 all in favor

Alternate Safety Committee Member from the Board of Public Works
 Mr. Simao stated he would discuss this at the next Board of Public Works meeting.

#### **CORRESPONDENCE:**

21-055 Planning Board – Legal Notice – Site Sketch – 730 Randall Road, (Assessors Map 5, Parcel 7) – update site plan to show used motor vehicle sales – **COMMENTS NEEDED BY 4/22/2021** 

Motion: Ms. Lebel, to respond no Safety Committee issues

Second: Mr. Churchill Vote: 5-0 all in favor

21-056 Planning Board – Legal Notice – Site Sketch – 14 Chestnut Place (Assessors Map 13C, Parcel 54) – update site plan to establish an opioid treatment program – **COMMENTS NEEDED BY 5/13/2021** 

Motion: Ms. Lebel, to respond no Safety Committee issues

Second: Mr. Simao Vote: 5-0 all in favor

21-057 Planning Board – Legal Notice – Special Permit – 615 Fuller Street (Assessors Map 9, Parcel 54) – Estate Lot – **COMMENTS NEEDED BY 5/13/2021** 

Motion: Ms. Lebel, to respond no comments necessary

Second: Mr. Simao Vote: 5-0 all in favor RECEIVED TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE

21-058 Planning Board – Legal Notice – 28 Mountainview Street Extension (MMI16) Pardel F31, N A. Ferrera & Norma L. Theriault – Special Permit/Home Occupation for a mobile (off road)

motorcycle repair shop Motion: Ms. Lebel, to file Second: Mr. Churchill Vote: 5-0 all in favor

21-059 Planning Board - Approval of Change of Occupancy/DBA Application - Westnet Inc., David

Thompson, 100 State Street, Building 110

Motion: Ms. Lebel, to file Second: Mr. Churchill Vote: 5-0 all in favor

21-060 Planning Board – Approval of Change of Occupancy/DBA Application – JR Butcher Shop, Jose A.

Cordeiro, 274 East Street Motion: Ms. Lebel, to file Second: Mr. Churchill Vote: 5-0 all in favor

21-061 Planning Board - Approval of Change of Occupancy/DBA Application - Fr. Michael Heningham,

St. Stephen Orthodox Church, 44 Sewall Street, Suite #1

Motion: Ms. Lebel, to file Second: Mr. Churchill Vote: 5-0 all in favor

21-062 Planning Board - Approval of Change of Occupancy/DBA Application - Magdalena Kaflinska,

356B Sewall Street

Motion: Ms. Lebel, to file Second: Mr. Churchill Vote: 5-0 all in favor

21-063 Planning Board - Notice of Decision, Site Sketch - Suburban Realty Trust, 44 Sewall Street -

Update Site Plan Chart Motion: Ms. Lebel, to file Second: Mr. Churchill Vote: 5-0 all in favor

21-064 Planning Board - Notice of Decision, Definitive Subdivision - Hundred Acre Wood - Phase III -

Turning Leaf, Balsam Hill Road, and Ventura Street

Motion: Ms. Lebel, to file Second: Mr. Churchill Vote: 5-0 all in favor

21-065 Planning Board - Notice of Decision, Definitive Subdivision - Whitetail Wreks, LLC, 0 Ventura

Street (Assessors Map 30, Parcel 112)

Motion: Ms. Lebel, to file Second: Mr. Churchill Vote: 5-0 all in favor RECEIVED TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE

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21-066 Planning Board - Notice of Decision, Definitive Office Daniel's Gravel Bank, LLC, Miller

Street (Assessors Map 25, Parcel 24 & Map 26, Parcels 36A, 36B, 36C)

Motion: Ms. Lebel, to file Second: Mr. Churchill Vote: 5-0 all in favor

21-067 Planning Board - Notice of Decision, Definitive Subdivision Plan - Twin Peak Summit - Miller

Street

Motion: Ms. Lebel, to file Second: Mr. Churchill Vote: 5-0 all in favor

21-068 Planning Board - Notice of Decision, Special Permit/Home Occupation - Mark Ottani, 117 Fuller

Street – home office-electrician

Motion: Ms. Lebel, to file Second: Mr. Churchill Vote: 5-0 all in favor

21-069 Planning Board - Notice of Decision, Special Permit/Home Occupation - Mario A. Ferrero &

Norma L. Theriault, 28 Mountainview Street – home office-mobile (off road) motorcycle repair

shop

Motion: Ms. Lebel, to file Second: Mr. Churchill Vote: 5-0 all in favor

21-070 Planning Board - Notice of Decision, Site Plan - First Church of Ludlow, 859 Center Street

Motion: Ms. Lebel, to file Second: Mr. Churchill Vote: 5-0 all in favor

21-071 Planning Board - Notice of Decision, Site Sketch - Autohaus of Ludlow, Inc., 730 Randall Road

Motion: Ms. Lebel, to file Second: Mr. Churchill Vote: 5-0 all in favor

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

Committee to approve and sign the meeting minutes of March 11, 2021

Motion: Ms. Lebel, to approve and sign the meeting minutes.

Second: Mr. Churchill

Vote: 4-0 in favor with Mr. Simao abstaining

Ms. Lebel made a motion, seconded by Mr. Churchill, to adjourn at 5:57 p.m. CFIVED favor

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