

Town of Germantown
Local Waterfront Revitalization Program Committee.
Via Zoom

December 13, 2021

Members in attendance: Jen Crawford, Jan Borchert, Martin Overington, Karen Targove, Barbara Hughey , Lisa Vasilakos DOS Coastal Resource Specialist and public observers Kaare Christian and Art Cady

Meeting called to order at 7:04

Pledge of Allegiance.

Review of Minutes

Motion to accept the minutes:

Martin motion to accept, Jan seconds the motion

Vote unanimous to accept

Discussion and Take Away of Public Information Meeting held 12/4

Each committee member spoke about their interactions and takeaway from the public meeting. Consensus was that while we would have liked a better turnout, those did come were very engaged. Discussion ensued as to how to increase turnout for next public meeting. Notices to go out earlier, possible announcement to families of Germantown School students thru school, notice posting on other town committee websites. Should there be a tent at the transfer station for the next public meeting?

Top 3 public interests:

- Park and main street connectivity
- Swimming in Palatine Park and Roe Jan
- Lasher park to be a destination for town recreation

Weebly website will stay up until 12/20, as there have not yet been any comments. Weebly website link to go on social media, Town newsletter, and other town committee sites.

Inventory and analysis discussion to be conducted in January meeting when Alta is present. Alta to update I&A based on public meeting. I&A will be presented to DOS which completes Task 9 of LWRP. Per Lisa Vasilakos, I&A can be tweaked until LWRP is finalized.

Letter to DOS ok to send

Current Events

12/18 Tree Lighting and Winter Walk

Amtrak had Heavy Equipment for 3 weeks by the tracks and the river widening the service road between Lasher and Cheviot below Sharps Landing .Concerns about erosion

Martin and Karen volunteered to check public notices regularly for any permits filed by Amtrak or other entities

Motion to end meeting Martin; 2nd Jan

Meeting adjourned at 8:06

Next meeting 1/10/21 via Zoom

