**Worcester Planning Commission**

**MINUTES**

**May 19, 2022, 5:30pm via ZOOM**

**Attending:** Phoenix Mitchell, Will Baker, Bill Arrand, Chani Waterhouse, Toni Kaeding

**Housekeeping**

* Toni called the meeting to order at 5:30 pm.
* Toni reported that the Selectboard has regretfully accepted Kate’s resignation from the Planning Commission and joyfully accepted Chani’s application for the same.
* Motion to accept minutes of 4.21.22 was made by Toni, seconded by Bill, and accepted unanimously. Chani reported that link to taping of 4.21.22 meeting featuring guest presenter Todd Thomas did not work. Toni to investigate.
* Group decided to change June meeting date from 3rd Thursday format to June 28 to accommodate schedule of guest presenter Richard Amore.

**Public Comments**

None.

**Looking Ahead**

Group continued its focus on “what is planning?” with a roundtable discussion that included Village Center Designation, Enhanced Energy Plan, preferred cell tower locations, and trails. Individuals shared thoughts and priorities.

Toni announced that she will retire from “chair” role by fall 2022 but would like to stay on Planning Commission. Selection of new chair is a Planning Commission prerogative. Creative options (co-chairs, rotating chairs, etc) possible.

**Adjourn**

Phoenix moved to adjourn, Bill seconded, meeting was adjourned at 6:32pm.

**Next meeting Tuesday, June 28 at 5:00pm via ZOOM. Guest: Richard Amore**

**NOTE TIME CHANGE!**

Toni Kaeding

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