



MINUTES OF THE BROADBAND COMMITTEE

March 5, 2019

In attendance: Bob Tourville, Tom Newton, Tony Colapietro, Christine Goonan
Meeting called to order at 750pm.

I. Old Business

Minutes were not read due to clerk not in attendance.

Orientation Guide was reviewed by chair regarding committee minutes.

"The Grant" update-selectman expect Broadband Advisory Committee to do the details of the grant.

Nick is applying for extension of grant. Identify a consultant to assess the Boston Road Corridor.

Initiate the study. Nick will be invited for next meeting to discuss fulfilling the grant.

Mission statement has been table until next meeting.

Storage of information of what has already been done- discussion- T. Newton will upload those notes. Chair will ask for space on server and a file drawer for paper documentation.

II. New Business

What do we need to know from these other communities: How are they implement fiber or wireless, hybrid? Who did their study for implementation?

What grants did they use or available? How do they get subscribers?

Dig Once: Chair updated us on status. N. Breault put placeholder in the place for a by- law change for town meeting.

Discussion of what is available for wireless (wi -max)?

Assignments: T. Colopeitra will check with other communities and regionalization of broad band

B. Williams will call Leverett who how why? Calling Lesser's office.

III. Next meeting Date and Agenda 3/15/19

IV. Citizen's Open Forum

There was no one present to take advantage of the open forum.

Having no further business, the meeting was adjourned by unanimous consent at 9:20pm. The Committee will reconvene at its next scheduled meeting on 3/15/19.

Submitted:

Christine Goonan – Committee Member

Date :3/19/19

Approved as to form and content:

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