

Lee Sustainability Advisory Committee Meeting Approved Minutes May 12, 2020 7 PM Virtual Meeting Zoom / Telephone

Members present: Paul Gasowski (chair), Jennifer Messeder, Dean Rubine, Chuck Cox

Public Present: N/A

I. Call to Order 7:11 pm

II. Preliminary Actions

A. Introduction N/A

Paul: We're being recorded; any chat becomes part of the public record.

B. Approval of Agenda

Approved unchanged.

C. Minutes: Approve Minutes

3/3/2020 Chuck moved, Dean 2nd, Approved as amended, 4-0 roll call vote.

4/14/2020 Dean moved, Paul 2nd, Approved 3-0-1 as amended by roll call vote. Chuck abstains.

D. Correspondence/Events

Paul noted correspondence with Town Administrator Julie Glover, specifics not mentioned. Paul received an email from Sophie Lyras, Jr. at Proctor Academy. She is interested in how LSC is mitigating climate change, joined LSC facebook group.

III. Public Comments N/A

IV. Discussion Items/Updates

A. All: Use Less Arts Festival and Community Suppa', BFI Update in Response to COVID-19

Paul: All events on hold

V. New Business

A. Dean: Tracking/Charting TS Volumes

Dean got the data from Steve. Very fragmented. Examination of this year's data surprisingly indicates no noticeable change in MSW or recycling amounts before and during virus crisis. Not much pricing data; mostly volumes.

Paul suggests going back another year or two. Dean will draft E-crier article.

B. Jen/All: Updating/Moving Transfer Station Articles to Web page

Jen: Currently no mixed paper collection. No egg box reuse. Swap shop closed. We don't know when mixed paper changes to office paper/magazines.

Reviewed Jen's articles for website. Paul suggested adding an originally published date to each, noting when the article was first in E-Crier.

Dean will update website, highlight these articles (first in menu).

C. Paul: Models for Lee Cottage Industry, Craftspeople and Artisan Directory

[At this point the 40 minute Zoom meeting limit was reached. Committee was unable to reestablish meeting so agreed by email to reconvene 5/19/2020, 7pm. Remaining agenda:]

D. Other N/A

VI. Public Comments

VII. Closing Actions

A. Future Meeting Dates:

B. Agenda Planning for Next Meeting

VIII. Adjournment

Respectfully Submitted, Dean Rubine