## Yarmouth Parks & Lands Committee

MEETING AGENDA

Date: September 1, 2021 Time: 6:00-7:30pm

RE: Monthly meeting

MEETING AT TOWN HALL COMMUNITY ROOM

To advise the Town Council, staff, boards, committees, and the public concerning the funding, acquisition, management, use, and disposition of town lands needed to implement the parks, trails, pedestrian easements, and open-space goals of the community; and to engage the town and public in stewardship, protection, and uses of the natural environment and ecosystems of Yarmouth through public education, shared responsibility and personal experience, and connection to the lands and waters of Yarmouth.

Committee members 2021:

Vance Brown (2023) Matthew Cannon (2023) Ron Dupuis, (2021) Ebrahim Fazeli (2021) Karen Massey (2021), Chair Lisa Small (2022) Mary Thorp (2022) Town Council, Staff & Guests: Karyn MacNeill, YCS Director

Erik Donohoe, Parks Specialist Tim Shannon, Council Liaison

# AGENDA - from what Karyn heard and noted at the July meeting

- 5 minutes Call to Order
  - o Acceptance of August 4, 2021 Minutes
- 30 minutes Introduction to new Director of Planning, Erin Zwirko
- 5 minutes Policy, if needed, for meetings
- 5 minutes Updates on projects, planning board, conversations, etc. (Erik)
- 10 minutes Naming for Sligo Road and Village Run properties
- 10 minutes –Dog Control Ordinance discussion (on agenda for TC, 9/2/2021)
- 5 minutes if needed, update on Frank Knight Forest Management Plan conversation (Erik)
- 15 minutes 2021-2022 Work Plan insights, ideas, thoughts, concerns, etc.
- Adjourn

#### Important upcoming dates (possible agenda items)

- 9/22/2021 PLC and PB cooperative meeting, begins at 7pm during PB meeting, please attend in person at Log Cabin. They have a short agenda and our meeting will then begin.
- 10/6/2021 PLC Monthly Meeting
- 11/3/2021 PLC Monthly Meeting
- 12/1/2021 PLC Monthly Meeting

### Other topics that have been discussed – which need further information or upcoming meeting scheduling?

- CIP
- Bench policy
- Signs

## **UPCOMING TOWN MEETINGS, with possible importance to PLC:**

Town Council, Thursdays: (links attached)

Link to the Sept 2, Town Council Agenda

Planning Board, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday: (this month they are meeting on Sept 1, as well.)

Link to their meeting agendas