

DPW Building Committee

March 15, 2018

One Avenue A, Turners Falls

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Present: Jay Dipucchio, Mark Fairbrother, Bob Macewicz, Ken Moran, Mark Williams.
Walter Ramsey (Planner), Steve Ellis (TA).

Ken Morin opened the meeting at 4:30 PM.

Ken thought we might want to contact businesses for input and hopefully to get more support for the project.

The Capital Improvements Committee has voted unanimously to recommend support for the project.

The Board of Selectmen has voted unanimously to recommend support for the project.

The Finance Committee has voted by majority to recommend support for the project.

The committee went over the existing FAQ to make whatever changes we should make in light of what came out at the public information meetings.

Discussion of how to more accurately and succinctly explain what is in the project. People may not be fully aware of what is or is not written in stone at this point. Once into the design process, numerous small scale changes would be made when we get down to specifics.

A representative from W&S should be at STM to give brief, focused answers to questions that the committee may need help on.

Steve Ellis will come up with a one page summary of the process should the Town vote in favor.

Walter and Steve will work on updating our outreach materials for inclusion in the Town Meeting packets, which will go out on next Monday.

Jan has written a letter to the editor to the Montague Reporter and Recorder regarding the project.

Next meeting date: April 3 at 4:30, Town Hall.

Adjourn at 5:30 PM. Motion by Jay, 2nd by Bob Macewicz. 5-0