Sherman Housing Commission

Special Meeting Minutes
June 6, 2016 7:00 pm
Emergency Services Facility

Members Present: A. Van Plachecki, B. Hoag, D. Tuck, C. Faure and H. Bray

Members Absent: None

Invited and Audience: First Selectman C. Cope, Selectman B. Ostrosky, Selectman D. Lowe and Commission Clerk, C. Branson

Call to Order: Chair, A. Van Plachecki Called the Meeting to Order at 7:01 pm.

Purpose: This is a Special Meeting for the Commission and Board of Selectman to review the preliminary results of the Housing Survey.

Selectman Ostrosky presented the Commission with an electronic presentation of an overview of the results of the electronic surveys completed online as well as the handwritten surveys received by mail. Out of the two thousand surveys sent, 590 were received filled out, of those 43 were received online. The BoS and Housing Commission discussed the preliminary results. Mr. Ostrosky explained that he entered by hand all of the “fill the bubble” answers into the program but there were several hundred that had lengthy comments that the Commission will need to review and create a detailed supplemental report on the findings. The Clerk will scan all of the surveys and disburse to the Commission for further review.

Adjournment: Commissioner, D. Tuck Moved to Adjourn the Meeting at 7:55pm.

Respectfully Submitted by:
Christine Branson, Clerk
July 18, 2016

*APPROVED AS FINAL AT THE JULY 18TH, 2016 RMM
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Members present: Arthur Von Plachecki, Donna Tuck, Carol Faure, Bruce Hoag, and Helen Bray

Also in attendance: Clay Cope

Chairman Arthur Von Plachecki call to Order at 6:55

Approval of Minutes: Chairman suggested and it was agreed to waive the reading of the previous meeting minutes.

Discussion of the Housing Commission Survey results:

Surveys that included written comments were scanned and sent to the Commission. There was a general discussion of the comments. It was agreed that many of the comments expressed similar interests and concerns. For example, a number of respondents expressed concern over changing the rural atmosphere of Sherman. It was decided that the commission would, to the extent possible, summarize similar comments to further refine and understand the survey results.

Chairman Von Plachecki distributed a draft of the Commission’s report to be provided to the Selectmen at the next meeting scheduled for Thursday June 23rd.

Donna Tuck moved to adjourn the meeting at 8:00 PM.

There were no public comments.