

TOWN OF SOMERS
PLAN OF CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT
STEERING COMMITTEE

REGULAR/PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 2015
7:30PM, TOWN HALL

I. CALL TO ORDER:

Greg Genlot, Chair called the meeting to order at 7:30PM. Others in attendance were: Adam Van Wingerden, Clifford Bordeaux, William Salka, John Curran, Kathy Devlin, Selectman. Also in attendance, Jeff Bord, Town Engineer, Lisa Pelligrini, First Selectman and Glenn Chalder from Planimetrics.

II. NEW BUSINESS:

Glenn Chalder, Planimetrics, presented a slide show overview of the “2015 Plan of Conservation and Development.”

The PLAN is evolving. Input is being accepted. The PLAN is on the Town website. The target completion for the PLAN is July 2015. Upon completion of the overview, audience participation was encouraged.

1. In discussion of the aging population projections of Somers residents in the PLAN one gentleman asked if anything is in the plan for public housing or shared maintenance of residences. He would like to see something.
2. A question was asked if the previous PLAN addressed the ‘design’ of the Center of Town. Lisa Pelligrini responded by saying “yes” and several things have been accomplished in Somersville with sidewalks, streetlights, etc.
3. A woman mentioned what she referred to as the ‘mess’ on Field Road. She was of the opinion that nothing gets accomplished there.
4. That brought up the subject of the Mill. Lisa Pelligrini mentioned that although progress is slow because the Mill site is privately owned, progress has taken place and both State and Federal governments are assisting the Town of Somers.

III. MINUTES APPROVAL:

Clifford Bordeaux made a motion to accept the minutes from November 13th, 2014 and December 11th, 2014 as written. The motion was seconded by William Salka. All were in favor.

IV. ADJOURNMENT:

Clifford Bordeaux made a motion to adjourn the meeting. It was seconded by Adam Van Wingerden. All were in favor. The meeting was adjourned at 8:10 P.M.