# Town of Richmond - Parking Advisory Committee Meeting Monday, September 12, 2022, 5:30 PM

# Virtual or by Phone - (No in-person unless requested)

- Kevin McAleer (minutes)
- John Rankin
- Diane Mariano
- John Cohn
- Chuck Gilroy

# Public:

- Lisa Miller
- Ian Bender 1168 Dugway Road right across from triple buckets
- Amy Klinger

# 5:30 PM Welcome & Public Comment

#### Dugway Road Discussion:

- Ian believes eliminating three spots could also improve challenges with two way traffic
- Ian's driveway is on the north side, head west
- Diane two points possibility of a section designated as a fire lane. Second point – John C received a call from a resident that received a parking ticket – thought she had parked legally.
- Parking on north side of the road pushes gravel into ditches.
- Discussion of "No parking on north side of road" option. North side will lose spots once the road is ditched
- Amy Klinger across from Gorge Parking lot
- Appreciates PAC time and effort
- Maybe have an online APP (Parkmobile?)
- Existing parking area signage is getting graffitied
- Ian likes the idea of tow zone signs
- Ian would like to send a letter to the committee requesting no parking on north side of Dugway Road be considered as a potential solution
- How can we show where legal parking is on a gravel road? needs to be researched -

- Message boards on the top and bottom of the roads communicating new rules
- Predictable on hot weekends.
- What does ANR do? Waterbury has a full-time parking steward on busy weekends

What are three potential solutions for Dugway Road:

- 1. Strategic reductions on parking of parking spaces / improved signage / message boards
- 2. No parking on North side of road
- 3. ????

**Existing Parking Area Discussions** 

Volunteers Green

• Is Pete planning on paving?

Checkered House Bridge Status

• New ropes are in place. Parking area is being used successfully. Kevin had a discussion with a Johnny Brook Road resident who really appreciated the parking.

#### 6:30 Overrocker

- Status of wetlands delineation
- Coordination with Ravi and discussion on going. Overall, majority of parking area is outside of delineated wetland, town may have to remove gravel from one corner. Although aerial image's show even this area being used historically for aggregate stockpiling.
- Should this parking be added to Google Maps? This requires an approval from Google, which John C. can navigate. It would be helpful to get cyclists to use this area as a parking destination rather than volunteer's green.

# 6:45 Bombardier Meadow

- Update on meeting with RLT and neighbors
- Reviewed RLT email to town
- Existing conditions

• PAC will reach out to Josh concerning the "bullpen" parking area

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Approve Meeting Minutes  $-\frac{8}{8}/22$  - approved.

7:07 Meeting adjourned