

Tinmouth Planning Commission
September 26, 2016
Minutes

Members present: Bob Lloyd, Vito Macaluso, Michael Fallar, Grant Reynolds, and Kim Harbaugh
Absent were Andy Gilmore, Denise McGinley, Kevin Ruane and Amanda Vumbaco Chisamore

Others present: Gail Fallar, Sec.

Michael called the meeting to order at 7:40.

Agenda was reviewed, no changes made; minutes of 8/22/16 were read and approved as written, all voted in favor.

Members discussed emailed comments from Bob and Grant regarding what is required to update the Town Plan – meeting state planning goals (and how they do or don't apply to Tinmouth); updating information, updating maps, etc.. Bob has met with Ed Bove, Executive Director of the Rutland Regional Planning Commission to review the process and RRPC's involvement. After much discussion, members decided to ask for a grant of \$5,000, and as the Town has budgeted \$3,000 that should enhance the likelihood of approval of the grant request.

Members felt the need to involve community members in the update process, particularly regarding commercial solar and other renewable energy development and water quality issues.

Bob read the questions on the application, members provided input in regards to answers. Bob will prepare a draft application for approval at the next PC meeting (10/24/16) and submit the application by the 10/31/16 deadline. The Select Board will also need to approve and sign a resolution.

Next regular meeting will be October 24, 2016.

Meeting adjourned at 8:45 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Gail Fallar, Secretary