Town of Danville
Planning Commission Meeting Minutes
September 26, 2024 @ 7:30 pm

Danville Town Hall

Attendance: Alison Despathy, Kate Whitehead, Rob Balivet, Vince Foy, Judy Corso

Minutes

MOTION: Alison made a motion to approve June and August meeting minutes. Motion carried.

Public Hearing for Town Plan and Bylaw Update Proposals

NVDA provided comments on the proposed bylaw amendment. Discussion on accessory on-farm business this should be added to Rte. 2 District (section 513) permitted uses. No public comment.

Next step is to send the proposal to the SB for a Public Hearing.

PC Chair/Vice Chair Discussion

PC voted in support of Alison as Chair as Rob to act as Vice Chair until he leaves in December.

Goals & Visions

PC discussed focus areas for moving forward:

- 1. Affordable Housing & Zoning Districts = land use strategies : in-fill, cluster housing
- 2. Village Center Designation review and renew applications
- 3. Flood Maps = FEMA, river corridor & wetlands maps
- 4. Historic Resources: inventory of historically significant buildings in Danville
- **5.** LVRT surrounding uses re: campgrounds
- Short-term rentals/Airbnb = empty homes vs owner occupied, sustainable/tiny homes
- **7.** Agricultural Overlay District
- 8. LESA Assessment Land Evaluation and Site Assessment re: a tool for land use decisions

Alison will work on drafting an ordinance addressing setbacks for telecom facilities.

Next Meeting: October 24, 2024 at 7:30pm

Adjourned at 8:49 pm

Respectfully submitted by Kate Whitehead