

TOWN OF BELMONT
COMMUNITY PATH IMPLEMENTATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE

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MEETING MINUTES

January 18, 2017

Present: Russell Leino, Chair; Brian Burke, Sr.; Michael Cicalese; Heather Ivester;
Vincent Stanton

Staff: Jeffrey Wheeler and Spencer Gober, Office of Community Development
David Kale, Town Administrator

8:00 a.m. Meeting called to order

Pare reviewed the format for upcoming meetings. Much discussion ensued, but all agreed that the presentation should review the options, review the draft matrix, show how the options were evaluated and to present the initial cost estimates. The Committee reviewed Pare's draft PowerPoint presentation and much discussion followed about the best way to present this information.

The remainder of the meeting focused on defining 'Fatal Flaws'. Pare asked for feedback from the Committee about how they were defining 'Fatal Flaws'. All were in general agreeance with Pare's definition but noted that the upcoming public meetings will provide further input on how to define 'Fatal Flaw'. A brief discussion followed regarding what could be an acceptable impact to private property. All agreed to reach out the public safety departments to provide further input on accessibility and to what extent this becomes a 'Fatal Flaw'.

Discussion then ensued regarding having a meeting with Town departments and when this should occur and what information should be provided. After much discussion, all agreed to meet with the Town departments prior to the start of the next series of meetings so that any comments they might have can be incorporated into the presentation.

Pare and the Committee reviewed costs and discussed Pare's assumptions. The Committee agreed that Pare needed to include operations and maintenance into their cost estimates. Pare noted, however, that this will depend on the design elements of the path, i.e., extent of structures and landscaping to name a few.

9:20 a.m. Adjourn