TRAFFIC ADVISORY COMMITTEE September 5, 2002

Members present: MaryJo Frisoli, Chairman, Tim Turner, Tim Riley, Andrea Masciari, Peter Curro, Linda Nickens, Tom Gatzunis, R. Mc Carron, BPD, Regina Ota, Tomi Olson, Dan Healey, and Mary Gavin

Members Absent: Sal Lentini

Minutes of July 24, 2002 and August 14, 2002

moved by M. Gavin

seconded R. Ota

Unanimously accepted

Chair's Report

MaryJo asked Andrea to schedule a meeting at the Butler School

Tom's Report

Tom reported that the town made a presentation BMPO. (he, Mel and Jeff) He reported that the meeting was encouraging. He reported that he found evidence that we have been working on Pleasant Street as far back as 18 years. He reported that another presentation will be made next week.

Timeasked about MPO and fiscal responsibility

Tom report that TIp (Transportation Improvement program) is the source and they do the distribution.

The meeting is scheduled for Thursday September 12 at 2 p.m.

Business

MaryJo asked Tom about the Parking Committee

Change in meeting schedule do to requests by the Board of Selectmen additional meetings will be held on 9/18, 10/1, 10/16, 11/7, 12/3

Mary Jo asked that we acknowledge receipt of e-mail

The TAC has received correspondence

- a letter concerning the traffic study of Sycamore and Lexington
 - a petition from Mr. Madden at 701 Pleasant

Discussion of our charges from the Board of Selectmen

- 1) town wide strategy
- 2) Sycamore Street
- 3) White Street

MaryJo spoke of process. She noted that the TAC operates as an open forum. She noted that the Board of Selectmen likes to take action by writing.

The TAC makes recommendation concerning a problem or dilemma.

Those recommendations are forwarded to the Board of Selectmen.

The TAC proceeded to a general discussion of its charge.

It was agreed that TAC members will receive the necessary information to prepare to finalize vision statement at next meeting.

Mary asked about the status of parking lane along Grove Street playground.

Tim moved adjournment Seconded Linda

Respectfully submitted

Mary:T.:W. Gavin

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