

PUBLIC SERVICES COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Tuesday June 9, 2009

ATTENDEES:

Bill Pritchard, Chair
Catherine Cecere
Scott DeCain
Andy Freimuth
Sue Hill
Michael Lebowitz
Arthur Schatzkin
Don Sherk
Al Lang, Council Liaison
Warren Rizzi, Town Staff

Absent: John Barnes, Larry Lannom, Susan Milner Reynolds

The meeting was called to order at 7:35 pm.

Public comments

The PSC received a letter from Robert Newman, 4316 Willow Lane, regarding the Leland Center traffic.

Volunteer sign-up

Committee members are reminded to sign up for the coming year.

Water Run-off:

The proposal for water engineer consultant will be presented at the Council meeting, June 7.

Power/Electricity:

The RFP on evaluation of street lights and options for further action has been released with a bidders' conference planned for June 17 and proposals due on July 1. PEPCO has been moving to replace the mercury bulbs with about 1/3 of the Town completed.

Security:

The group met with the Village (Jeff Biddle and Roy Gordon) and reviewed the police department's costs and functions. There is the possibility of enhancing the role of the person who arranges for our current coverage with off-duty officers.

Installation of speed cameras may be limited after October 1, 2009. The PSC supports installation of speed cameras on East-West Highway.

Traffic:

The PSC discussed the sub-committee's recommendations on the priority areas and will request a written analysis by the Traffic Engineer, Joseph Cutro, that includes recommendations and traffic flow diagrams. He should also make recommendations on any data (traffic counts) needed to support the proposed changes.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:00.

The next meeting will be on Tuesday, July 7, 2009