Minutes Stickney Brook Road Public Hearing May 19, 2010

Present at site visit: Andrew MacFarland, Tom Bodett, Greg Brown, Wayne Emery, Zeke Goodband, Lee Chamberlin, Tony Clark, Rick Ethier, Atty. Bob Fisher, Pam McFadden, Steve Mindel

At 6:30pm when the Hearing reconvened at West Dummerston Community Center, Virginia Carter, Cami Elliott-Knaggs, Jared Flynn, Laurie Frechette and Dan Snow joined the proceedings.

Andrew convened the hearing at 6:00pm near 1267 Stickney Brook Road at the site of the proposed changes. Lee reviewed the proposed new route and showed the Board the problems with the existing road bed and bank erosion.

Andrew recessed the hearing and reconvened at 6:30pm at the West Dummerston Community Center. He opened the meeting to public comment.

Atty. Fisher reported that neither of the abutting landowners, Tony & Janet Clark nor Rick Ethier from the Brattleboro Public Works Department raised any objections about the project. He also mentioned that the Town should have a survey done of the road alteration.

Dan Snow expressed his desire to see the stone culvert preserved. Lee was asked to check and see if this will be possible under the grant agreement.

Tom moved that the Board approve the alteration of Stickney Brook Road for the purpose of improving the road conditions by obtaining a 50' wide easement from Anthony & Janet Clark and the Brattleboro Water Department in order to bypass the sharp curve near the boundary line between the Clark & Brattleboro Water Department premises.

Wayne seconded the motion; it passed 5-0.
Andrew closed the hearing at 6:47pm.
Approved
Andrew MacFarland, Chair
Wayne Emery, Clerk