

HANOVER

SUSTAINABILITY MASTER PLAN

Meeting Notes

Date/Time: 8/1/2023; 5:00PM
Approved: August 22, 2023
Place: Town Offices, Zoom

Notes Taken By: Vicki Smith

Re: Hanover Sustainability Master Plan –
Advisory Committee Meeting

Attendance

Master Plan Advisory Committee

Elizabeth Esinhart – Chair
Joanna Whitcomb
Brian Edwards
Chris Kennedy
Yolanda Baumgartner
Paul Simon
Jarett Berke

Members of the Public

Nancy Carter
Jay Campion

Town Staff

Robert Houseman, Director of Planning, Zoning, and Codes
Vicki Smith, Senior Planner

Meeting called to order at 5:00 pm.

Discuss Revised Chapter 7 Promoting Downtown Vibrancy

The revised Chapter 7 was reviewed. A lengthy discussion regarding the extent of the downtown area occurred. Revisions were suggested to the text, goals, strategies, map and metrics. When the revisions are added to the draft, the chapters will be posted to the Master Plan website.

The robust conversation about the downtown left no time to work on the Future Land Use Plan.

Public Comment

Comments from the public were welcomed during the discussion. There were no additional public comments.

Minutes, Next Meeting and Other Business

The minutes of July 18, 2023 were reviewed. On a motion by Brian to approve the minutes, there was a second offered by Chris. The motion was unanimously approved.

The next meeting will be held on August 22. The Committee will work on the future land use map.

There was no other business.

Adjourn

At 7:15 PM, Chris offered a motion to adjourn. Jarett seconded the motion. There was unanimous support for the motion to adjourn.