



Amherst Bicycle & Pedestrian Advisory Committee

Agenda

November 10th, 2020 – 6:00 pm

I. Meeting Venue

Please be advised that the Amherst Bicycle & Pedestrian Advisory Committee will be meeting online via ZOOM. In order to participate in the public ZOOM meeting, please click the following link to join:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87008008244?pwd=a1F3RGZ4N0k1VmpxbndxcWxVL2d6UT09>

Meeting ID: 870 0800 8244

Passcode: 03031

OR

Dial in by phone: +1 929 205 6099 US (New York)

II. Tom Christensen Appointment

The Board of Selectmen considers the appointment of Tom Christensen to BPAC on Monday, November 9th at 6:30pm.

III. Proposed 2021 Warrant Article

The proposed 2021 warrant article to establish the “Amherst Multimodal Facilities Capital Reserve Fund” and place in it \$75,000 for the Boston Post Road School Campus Sidepath was presented to the Board of Selectmen on October 26th, 2020. If you missed it, the recording is at <https://vimeo.com/472577140#t=42m36s>

IV. Communications

Wendy, Simon, Patrick

- 2021 warrant article public awareness campaign
- Old Manchester Road advisory shoulders
 - Flyer, Short video, Public Meeting

V. Project Status

A. Amherst Street Sidepath

Construction in progress, recent updates from DPW regarding NH 122 0.7 mile extension to Birch Park

B. Boston Post Road School Campus Sidepath

Warrant article proposed.

C. Eversource Trail

Response from Eversource received.

D. Old Manchester Road

On October 27th, 2020 the Highway Safety Committee voted unanimously to support our committee's proposal to add an advisory shoulder configuration for Old Manchester Road. This configuration will be considered by the Board of Selectmen on November 9th, 2020.

E. Amherst Village Multimodality Project

Consideration of alternative pavement surfaces for psychological and physical traffic calming

VI. Public Trails on Private Land

- B&M Rail Trail connection to Josiah Parker Trail (ACC)
- Updated needs from Amherst Land Trust prior to launching cooperative efforts

VII. Souhegan Valley Rail Trail

- Rail Trail webinar on November 12th, 7pm (Intended for public officials, etc. but any are welcome)
- Rail trail webinar on December 3rd, 7pm (intended for general public and we are requested to try to invite people to attend)

VIII. Other Updates

- “No Bicycles” sign on Meadowview Cemetery

IX. Approval of Minutes

- September Minutes
- October Minutes