

**Town of Blue Hill
Comprehensive Plan Committee
June 29, 2023
Meeting Minutes**

Attendees	R. Boulet J. Fehrle S. King G. Hurvitt	M. Hurvitt M. McKeague S. Miller	D. Page D. Paine K. Wyatt
Attendees (Other)	J. Milliken		
Topic	Discussion	Action	
Call to Order	The meeting was called to order at 4:01pm.		
Declaration of Quorum	A quorum of the committee was present.		
Business			
<i>HCPC Update</i>	G. Hurvitt provided a report in A. Varney's absence. The Agriculture, Forestry, and Transportation chapters should be available shortly (like over the next two weeks).	Noted	
<i>Engagement Subcommittee</i>	<p>The subcommittee reported that 259 surveys have been completed, and noted that this number hasn't changed appreciably over the last few weeks. There was discussion amongst the committee as to how to encourage more participation.</p> <p>"Listening sessions" are on the calendar for the Fire Department (at their monthly meeting) and at the Oddfellows meeting.</p> <p>Tables will be staffed with subcommittee volunteers at the following locations in the near future:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Farmers market • YMCA • Co-Op • Baptist church • Library • Mainescape <p>The hope is that these tables will raise the visibility of the Comp Plan process, provide a vehicle for feedback, and allow solicitation of more survey completions.</p> <p>It was observed that some of the most effective interactions with respect to the Comp Plan are one-on-one discussions; all committee members are encouraged to engage in these with residents.</p>	<p>Noted</p> <p>Noted</p> <p>Noted; volunteers encouraged</p> <p>Every committee member encouraged to engage in one-on-one discussions</p>	

	<p>Lastly, the subcommittee plans another broader engagement meeting (like the housing / economy / population one held a few months ago); hopefully they can be in a position to get it organized for mid-August, so the summer visitors have an opportunity to participate. The session would provisionally focus on Water, Marine, and Natural Resources.</p>	Noted
<i>Chapter Review</i>	<p>The remainder of the meeting consisted of a line-by-line review of some draft goals and objectives for the Housing and Economy chapters. Water Resources was also covered in the draft, but was tabled until a future meeting.</p>	Noted
Next Meeting	<p>The next meeting of the full Committee is scheduled for July 20, 2023 at 4:00pm.</p>	
Adjournment	<p>The meeting adjourned at 5:31pm.</p>	