

Plymouth Center Steering Committee
Town Hall - Shallop Room 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday, February 1, 2023

The Meeting of the PCSC was called to order at 7:00 pm by Chairperson, Clare Montanari. In attendance were: Jerry Sirrico, Vice Chair, Andrea Melville, Carol Roupenian and Jessica McHugh.

Others in attendance included: Dale Webber, Precinct 3 (Traffic & Parking Proposal), Michael Schilling (Dublin Historical Marker, South Street Heritage Association, Dublin Area); Ginny Davis, SSHA (Dublin Area), and Tiffany Parks.

Mr. Schilling proceeded to explain the area that was known as Dublin in the 1800s. The Heritage Association would like to see signage in remembrance of the Irish who lived in the area. Ginny Davis has done much research and pointed out that the area encompassed the Waterfront, Brewster Gardens, Lincoln Street, Bradford Street, Emerald Street, Freedom Street (at the Water Street Cafe). Ms. Davis also stated the signage is needed to recognize the Irish that lived in the area. Ms. Davis also provided a list of names of the Irish residents in 1894, as well as a map from 1874.

Mr. Schilling would like to see more people involved and has spoken to the Patriot Ledger. Ms. Melville told of her ancestors who resided at 245 Water Street where she resides now.

Motion to support this initiative was made and seconded and unanimously passed. Ms. Melville will send letters to the residents of the Old Dublin area.

Mr. Webber then passed out the information regarding the traffic flow, parking & safety study to be conducted by GPI in Precincts 1,2,3 &4. He read the Article that will go before the Special Town Meeting asking for \$165,000. which will be funded by free cash. He discussed the density problem as well as delivery & trash trucks often blocking the streets. Chairperson Montanari stressed that many Street need attention and passed out some of her suggestions. Ms. Parks wanted to know how the study would be implemented and suggested to precincts to explore other ways of solving this problem. She will keep us informed.

Motion to support the Article was made and seconded and unanimously passed.

Ms. McHugh followed with an update of the Marina Project. As of now, it appears the owners are just waiting for the 1 year Historic limitation to expire.

Motion to adjourn was made and seconded at 8:40 p.m. and voted unanimously.

Respectfully,

Jerry Sirrico,
Acting Secretary