

SALISBURY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

MARCH 14, 2019 6PM

Call to Order: Present: Ward Belcher, Bob Palmer, Robert Schaufelberger and David Maffucci.

1) Approve the minutes of January 16, 2019. A Motion to Approve the minutes of January 16, 2019 was made by B. Palmer. Seconded by D. Maffucci. All in Favor. Motion Passed.

2) Creating Our Mission.

After discussion, the following Mission Statement was agreed upon:

“Appointed by the Town’s Selectmen, the SEDC is a group of concerned citizens whose role is to identify, create, assist and promote critical projects that benefit the residents, businesses and government of the Township of Salisbury. The Committee will act as resource for project stakeholders offering advice, public promotion and coordination while advocating for the continued protection of our area’s rural character.”

A Motion to Approve the Mission Statement, as amended, was made by D. Maffucci. Seconded by B. Palmer. All in Favor. Motion Passed.

3) Holley Manufacturing Building: “Hidden in Plain Sight!”

W. Belcher discussed the potential for the building and mentioned that they are looking at the process of getting money from various government agencies to improve the building. One suggestion was to create a commercial zone. As working with National and State agencies is complicated, the SEDC may require a Consultant supported by the Town.

4) Internet Connectivity: The upcoming meeting between the Salisbury Wire, Crown Castle and Salisbury Bank and Trust will take place next Wednesday, March 27th.

The SEDC is hoping for progress to be made at a meeting.

5) Planning & Zoning Meeting:

Scheduled for April 22 & 23, 2019. The meeting on April 22nd is the regular monthly P&Z meeting. On April 23rd, there will be a P&Z workshop with the AKRF consulting group to review the work on housing density regulations for the Township. The meeting will be held at the Salisbury Town Hall, both meetings are open to the public. The importance of the Chinese Restaurant and the Indian Cave Properties are key to the SEDC’s “Village Vitality” module.

Meeting concluded. The next meeting of the SEDC will be May 16th., @ 6:00 in the Town Hall