

HANOVER

SUSTAINABILITY MASTER PLAN

Meeting Notes

Date/Time: 6/27/2023; 5:00PM
Approved: July 18, 2023
Place: Town Offices, Zoom

Notes Taken By: Vicki Simth

Re: Hanover Sustainability Master Plan –
Advisory Committee Meeting

Attendance

Master Plan Advisory Committee

Elizabeth Esinhart – Chair
Dave Anderson (for Joanna Whitcomb)
Brian Edwards
Paul Simon
Jarett Berke

Members of the Public

Town Staff

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

Meeting called to order at 5:04 pm.

Discuss Revised Chapter 5 Preserving our Character and Chapter 8 Addressing Climate Change

The revised chapters 5 and 8 were reviewed. Revisions were suggested to the text, goals, strategies and metrics. Vicki will check with Chris and Yolanda about their comments on Chapter 8 as they are members of Sustainable Hanover. When the revisions are added to the drafts, the chapters will be posted to the Master Plan website. For all chapters, the Advisory Committee would like to add the GHG symbol explanation to the footer rather than having it as part of the text each time there is a GHG strategy. They find the explanation is located in a confusing way that diverts the readers' attention.

They also would like words included in the Glossary to be highlighted.

Public Comment

There were no public comments.

Minutes, Next Meeting and Other Business

The minutes of June 13, 2023 were reviewed. On a motion by Jarett to approve the minutes, there was a second offered by Beth. The motion was unanimously approved.

The next meetings will be held on July 18 and August 1. Chapters, Advancing Multi-Modal Transportation and Downtown Vibrancy, will be reviewed next.

There was no other business.

Adjourn

At 6:45 PM, Beth offered a motion to adjourn. Jarett seconded the motion. There was unanimous support for the motion to adjourn.