

PUBLIC HEARING MINUTES

Final Public Hearing

VERMONT COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM FOR THE SCHOOL STREET RIVERBANK STABILIZATION PROJECT READSBORO, VERMONT

Date: September 28, 2016

Location: Readsboro Town Office – 301 Phelps Lane, Readsboro, Vermont

Present: Omar Smith, Robert Marechal, Rebecca Stone, Helyn Strom-Henriksen, Teddy Hopkins, David Marchegiani, Amber Holland. Sign-in sheet attached.

Call to Order

Helyn Strom-Henriksen, Chair, Readsboro Selectboard, called the Public Hearing for the Vermont Community Development Program for the School Street Riverbank Stabilization Project to order at 6:15 p.m.

Helyn announced that the Town of Readsboro, Vermont received \$348,720.00 from the State of Vermont for a grant under the Vermont Community Development Program. The Public Hearing was held to obtain the views of citizens on community development, to furnish information concerning the range of community development activities that have been undertaken under this program, and to give affected citizens the opportunity to examine a statement of the use of these funds. The VCDP Funds received have been used to accomplish the following activities: To fortify and stabilize approximately 375 linear feet, and approximately 80 feet in height, of the failed Deerfield River bank adjacent to School Street, and to mitigate future erosion threats.

Helyn reported that progress meetings were held throughout the project with the contractor, engineer, ANR, and Town officials. The project finished under budget and on schedule. Becky indicated that the final reimbursement request and the final Progress Report are being submitted.

Hearing no further comments from the public, Helyn made a motion to close the Public Hearing at 6:25 p.m. Ted seconded. So voted.

Rebecca Stone
Selectmen's Clerk

Minutes Approved October 5, 2016