Planning Board - Site Walk Minutes

195 & 207 Packers Falls Road May 9, 2018

Attendees

Bob Brown, Planning Board Secretary
Michael Behrendt, Durham Town Planner
Carden Welsh, Town Council Rep to Planning Board
Lorne Parnell, Planning Board
James Bubar, Planning Board
Barbara Dill, Planning Board
Paul Rasmussen, Planning Board Chair
Mike Sievert, MSJ Engineering
Sally Tobias, Town Council Alternate to Planning Board
Val Shelton, Appledore Real Estate

Chair Rasmussen called the meeting to order at 3:05 pm.

Mike Sievert shared the site plan midway on the driveway into the property. He pointed out and explained several flagged stakes. There was discussion about the culvert in the driveway.

The group then walked up the driveway to the garage area overlooking the property. There was discussion of buffers and the length of the proposed driveway. Mike explained the setback for the septic system, including the wetland setbacks. Mike pointed out Test Pits 1 and 2, and the 4K area. The group viewed the proposed location of the house. There was discussion about the stone wall in the area and clarification that the property is approximately 500' from the river. There is no access to the river from the property. Mike reviewed and discussed the flood zone as well as discussion of the utility easements. Mike explained there will be minimal cutting of trees and bushes to clear for the home. There was discussion of whether a "pull off" is needed at some point on the driveway, and agreement that one is not necessary. There was discussion if this project is or is not a subdivision vs. lot line adjustment.

Chair Rasmussen adjourned the meeting at 3:30 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Bob Brown, Planning Board Secretary