



TOWN OF SHREWSBURY

Board of Selectmen Meeting
Old Selectmen's Meeting Room
Richard D. Carney Municipal Office Building
100 Maple Avenue
Shrewsbury, Massachusetts 01545-5398

Tuesday, January 22, 2019 - 6:00 PM

MINUTES

Present: Mr. John Lebeaux, Chairman, Mr. Maurice DePalo, Vice Chairman, Ms. Moira Miller, Clerk, Mr. James Kane, Selectman, Ms. Beth Casavant, Selectman

Also Present: Mr. Kevin Mizikar, Town Manager, Kristen Las, Assistant Town Manager, Representative Hannah Kane, Jeff Howland, DPW Director

Mr. DePalo called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm and chaired the meeting until Mr. Lebeaux arrived at 6:30 pm.

Joe Frawley and Erin Kinahan of MassDOT District 3, and Bob Stathopoulos and Mark Gravalles of Howard Stein Hudson, Consultant, were in attendance.

Mr. Frawley gave an overview of the Master Plan process along Route 20. There will be a public hearing in the spring and a completed master plan in the middle of 2019.

There was emphasis that this is a Master Plan not a specific project and it may take up to 20 years to come to fruition between the combination of MassDOT projects and private developers.

The Board reviewed a Shrewsbury Route 20 Safety & Operations Improvements Master Plan PowerPoint and went over the roadway master plan layouts Phase I Northborough Town Line to Centech Blvd then Phase II, Centech Blvd to Worcester city line.

Route 140 bridge abutments and the bridges across Flint Pond will need modifications. The large hill may need an acceleration lane. Mr. Kane asked if the Master Plan is adopted, and if that moves the project for bridge modifications up in the que. This will be reviewed in Phase II in more detail. Bridges over the water may need replacement.

Mr. Howland noted that there needs to be two lanes in either direction under Route 140 and then an acceleration lane coming from Route 140 to Route 20 east and west.

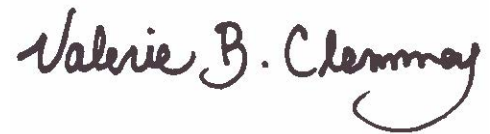
The Board discussed the Grafton Street intersection, which generally matches 25% design project and discussed the transition from Shrewsbury to Worcester and next steps.

MassDOT will keep working on western side of Master Plan with a public information session in the Spring and a final report in late summer. They will prioritize sections on the eastern section with MassDOT for construction.

The meeting adjourned at 6:59 pm.

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Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Valerie B. Clemmey". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looping 'V' and a long, sweeping tail on the 'y'.

Valerie B. Clemmey
Administrative Assistant to the Board of Selectmen

Referenced Materials

MassDOT Powerpoint Presentation January 22, 2019