PLANNING BOARD - TOWN OF MACHIAS

SEPTEMBER 7, 2016

This meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM by the members of the Machias Planning Board. In attendance were Board members Edward Pellon, David Barker and Arthur McCurdy; Secretary Cathy Lord; James Whalen, Bob Berta, Sarah Dedman, Russell Wood, Donna Wood.

On a motion by Arthur McCurdy, seconded by David Barker, the Board VOTED:

To appoint Ed Pellon as Acting Chairman for tonight's meeting.

1. MINUTES - REVIEW AND ACTION

On a motion by Arthur McCurdy, seconded by Ed Pellon, the Board voted to approve the minutes of the August 3, 2016 Board meeting.

2. BUILDING PERMIT APPLICATIONS - REVIEW AND ACTION

The Board reviewed a building permit application submitted by Porter Memorial Library for the construction of a storage shed to store books received for the library's annual book sale in August. Mr. Pellon asked if the storage shed's construction will match the appearance of the front of the library. Sarah Dedman, spokesperson for the library, advised the Board that the trustees will try to to purchase an attractive, nice looking building that will fit in with the appearance of the library. She noted that the type of building to be purchased will depend on the cost (stick built versus a portable building). Ms. Dedman added that the trustees plan to have a storage building with windows with adequate ventilation.

On a motion by Arthur McCurdy, seconded by David Barker, the Board VOTED:

To approve a building permit application submitted by Porter Memorial Library for the construction/location of a storage building on the library grounds located on Court Street.

On a motion by Arthur McCurdy, seconded by David Barker, the Board voted to adjourn the meeting at 7:15 PM.