

Meeting Minutes for Cornish Broadband Committee (DRAFT)

I. Meeting Details

Facilitator: Mike Fuerst

Secretary: Cris Hiatt

Date: 22 August 2022

Time: 5:32 pm

Cornish Town Office Bldg

Townhouse Rd., Cornish NH 03745

II Attendees

Committee Members~Mike Fuerst, Steve, Kevin Noble, Shelly Brookings, Cris Hiatt

Others in person~ Nelly Palmer

ZOOM~ Bill Catrino, Jane Crandall, Jonathan Glass

III. Mitch Davis could not attend

IV. Minutes need to have DRAFT on them when initially filed. Corey moved to accept August 9,2022

minutes, Shelly seconded. 6-0 passed

V. Vice-Chair is needed. Shelly nominated Steve; Corey seconded. 6-0 passed

VI. Reports

-No new responses from the 3 primary local providers.

-Shelly and Kevin will be the BEA subcommittee to meet with Mark Laliberti. They will report back at the next meeting with the explanation of how the state and federal monies can be accessed for community broadband.

-Kevin presented draft RFI letter for Selectmen to send via registered mail to 7 broadband providers. Edits made. Kevin will provide draft and addresses to the Selectboard.

-Town survey was reviewed. Primary notes:

-6th grade reading level

-Broad enough to be able to use data to support a bond issue as worst case if needed.

-Minimize questions to encourage participation.

-Survey to go out on Cornish Connect and paper surveys available.

-Survey subcommittee formed of Corey, Cris and Steve. They will present the survey at the next meeting.

Next meeting will be Friday September 9, 2022 at 4:30 pm

Cris Hiatt moved meeting be adjourned. Shelly Brookings seconded. Approved.

Meeting adjourned at 7:34 pm.