Local Transportation Committee Meeting Minutes May 12, 2010

Attendees, Ms. Carol Gulla, T.A.S.C. rep., Ms. Deb Hartley, Lamprey Health Care rep., Ms. Deb Perou, R.N.M.O.W. rep., Mr. Rad Nichols, Coast Bus rep., Ms. Sylvia VonAulock, Exeter Planning Dept., Don Woodward, Committee Chairman

Meeting began on time at 4:15p.m.

Completed discussion of funding for Coast Bus. All transportation providers have been requested to begin budget estimates for 2011. Using ridership data from January thru June/July should provide enough time to create by August and September a complete request for the Budget Committee to fully fund these services. Sylvia will acquire the latest motor vehicle registration info to verify whether registrations are up, down or about the same as last year.

Transportation Grant for the Train Station area. No formal notification has been received as yet. The Proposal review procedure may have revised somewhat at a higher level, possibly impacting the funding and notification schedule.

Coast Bus is currently looking into bus route #7's coverage area. However at this time, it's too early to know what any changes may be.

Don W attended the Alliance for Community Transportation meeting in Dover on May 5th to get a better understanding of the seacoast region's transportation planning. Don will also attend the May 27th LGC transportation planning meeting in Concord as there seems to be several different entities currently doing transportation planning in New Hampshire.

Few details are available concerning a future transportation related meeting at the Tuck Center in Exeter.

Next Meeting June 9th, sticking to the second Wednesday of the month schedule.

Meeting adjourned,
Don Woodward, 05/13/2010