

Town of Exeter

Swasey Parkway Trustee Meeting Site Walk 7/7/2021

Draft Minutes

Present: Dave Short, Darius Thompson Vice Chair, Dwane Staples Chair and Niko Papakonstantis Char Select Board

The meeting started at 5:35pm at the Water Street end of the Parkway for the purpose of walking the Parkway to identify trees that the Trustees should be removed and pruned. It was decided that the trees to be removed would be marked with white paint and the trees to be pruned marked with yellow paint.

Mr. Thompson also video the meeting as we proceeded thru the Parkway. As we moved along Chair Staples pointed out and marked trees that were to be removed and pruned and had conversations with the other Trustees to get a consensus of whether all agreed with the explanation for what should be done to the individual trees being marked.

The group proceeded thru the Parkway and when at the block building, marked trees past the building along the woods line to be removed and talked about the need to prune back the hanging branches along that woods line.

After passing this area they proceeded to the Newfields road end where they ended with the marking of the elm tree at the end of the Parkway. The discussion centered around how quickly this tree had declined and the need to remove this tree.

A motion was made to adjourn by Chair Staples, seconded by Mr. Thompson and passed by a unanimous vote.

Adjourn 6:41pm

Respectfully Submitted,

Dwane Staples, Chairperson