

**Jackson Facility August 30, 2022**  
**Minutes – Whitney Center**

**ATTENDING:** Genn Anzaldi, Barbara Campbell, Jennifer Pribble, Ginger Perkins, Kathleen Flammia, Dick Bennett, Marilyn Rhodes, Barbara Thereault, Joyce Allan, Tish Hanlon, Bill Terry, Linda Terry, Emily Benson, Stephen Weider, Hank Benesh

**Mission Statement:**

*The mission of the Facilities Committee is to educate the community, especially taxpayers, about the Town of Jackson's public facilities in order to determine the highest and best use of existing facilities as well as consideration for facilities which may be needed in the future. Confirmed by unanimous agreement at the Aug. 30 meeting*

Meeting was called to order at 4:07 PM

July 25, 2022 Minutes were unanimously accepted via motion from Linda Terry and seconded by Joyce Allan

**WILDCAT TOWN HOUSE**

Dick Bennett reported on the Wildcat Town House which is listed on the Town Property Values document being used to direct the committees efforts. This item is on the list because the Town of Jackson has the ability to determine further development of Wildcat Town Homes due to a previous lien on the property which was later paid. Compensation may be available through the sale of this right.

Discussion ensued concerning the Jackson Highlands property. Explanation of this asset is written in the record. This property has been accessed for \$32,000 and acts as green space.

**SUGGESTION:** These two items may not be appropriately place on the Facilities list as they are not properties that can be accessed by the general public for personal enjoyment, events, gatherings, etc. This will be placed on the agenda for discussion at the next meeting.

**North Country Council**

The committee agreed to invite Stacey Doll from North County Council to share insights from the North Country Rising Economic, Community and Resiliency survey that they conducted. The general Jackson Public will be invited on Sept. 27 at 7 PM at the Whitney Center. Her presentation will take 30 minutes and then she will open it up to questions. The Committee will take this opportunity to share the work of the committee and discuss the upcoming survey as part of their goal to educate the community. Childcare will be offered. Marketing will be through posters, Jackson Enews, etc. Janice will contact Stacey and confirm this.

**FACILITIES MAP**

Jennifer Pribble presented her work on creating an informational piece that will be used to educate the community. This document will include a map of the facilities, current use, websites that share information about the property. Should include the school building and the Whitney Center. Discussion ensued on how to handle Water Precinct, Transfer Station, Ambulance.

Jen asked for assistance in developing this piece, photos, copies what to include. She is asking for this information by Sept. 9 to have the document ready (printed etc.) by Sept. 16<sup>th</sup> and made available to general public by the 20<sup>th</sup> of Sept.

### **SURVEY**

Genn re-iterated that the survey would be compiled by a professional. That person just needs a general concept of what we are trying to accomplish with the tool. Janice has asked Stacey Doll if she has some samples from other communities in the North Country. Stacey is asking these questions and should have an answer by the 12<sup>th</sup>.

It was confirmed that the survey will help the committee compile their report for the Selectmen due in February outlining community wish list for facilities in the future and any identified needs the current list has.

### **NEXT MEETING**

The committee will meet on **September 19 at 4:00 PM** at the Whitney Center. Barbara will confirm with Susan Ross-Parent.

Note: Hank Benesh of tapes the meetings. You may view them at [Jacksonflicks.com](http://Jacksonflicks.com)

Meeting adjourned at 5:07 PM