

CAHC Meeting #5  
August 20,2018

Meeting called to order @ 6:05 P.M.

Members present : Bill Kelly, Barbara Kelly, Jackson Liscombe, Daniel Doern, Sandra Fusco Walker, Rebecca Schreiber, Michael Shocket, Eric Schaeffer, Barbara Marchione

Review of minutes, will be amended and approved at next meeting.

There was a review of our participation at Ellihu Burritt Day. The consensus was that it was a learning experience to be out and talking to the public, and it was agreed that we have an enormous amount of work to do getting the message out to the community regarding our role of gathering information for the community, the planning board, and New Marlborough. This will help us craft a bylaw, if needed regarding Cannabis regulations.

We also need to concentrate on getting out the word about our informational meeting on September 24.

One of the most important questions, it seems is the amount of money the town would make, and the placement of facilities here in New Marlborough.

Jackson brought up the fact that a community could have a community owned facility.

This also went into the discussion of the Host Agreements needed for different establishments if they were allowed in our community.

Dan brought up the fact that we could work up several different scenarios for the public meeting, so people might get a better handle on the benefits, or challenges such establishments would have in our town.

We then discussed the public informational meeting that will be held on September 24 th.

We are hoping to have a lawyer present to field any questions of the towns different options, plus the legalities.

Michael Shocket offered to make a brief film for the meeting. It would possibly interest the townspeople having a visual presentation, and that was agreed upon by consensus of the committee.

On further discussion about the meeting Barbara suggested that we break up the different options to be discussed, and asked if each committee member could be more "Well versed" on a particular subject. We agreed to do research on these individual topics as follows:

Jackson – Manufacturing  
Jeff - Medical  
Eugene – transporter  
Michael – Retail  
Rebecca – Research  
Sandra -Micro Business

Bill and Barbara – Test and Laboratory  
Eric – Cultivator/ Craft Co op  
Barbara – Host Agreement  
Dan – legal /CCC regs

we also discussed several different types of outreach we could have, (ie – PTA ? ) and the need to formulate a questionnaire .

Next meeting 8/27 @ 6 P.M.

And Tuesday 9/5 @ 6 P.M.

Motion and second to adjourn.

Meeting adjourned 7:45 P.M.