Minutes of the Patagonia Planning and Development Committee Meeting July 7, 2020 Call to order 7:05 P.M.

Present: Gerry Isaacs, Todd Norton, Ike Isakson, David Budd, Laurie Monti, Georgette Larrouy, Susan Lange Zoom: Brad Sanders, Melissa Murrietta

Members at large: Carolyn Schafer

There was a review of minutes from March meeting. The minutes were accepted into the record of the P and D Committee.

There were no Current Events this month on which to report.

There was a discussion concerning the election of officers, and methods of determining how many persons might be interested in each office. Officers for the 2020-2021 year were selected:

Chair: David Budd Vice chair: Todd Norton Laurie Monti - Secretary

Town Plan Amendment Document progress report. This spring Gerry had sent the final Draft Amended Plan with a cover letter that identified changes.

The next step will be to schedule the document for review on the Town Council agenda.

Public Comment: Carolyn Schafer requests document be available to the public.

Discussion: Document is in the proposal stage- with ample opportunity for community participation during previous P& D meetings. Proposed amendments will be presented at Town Council Meeting. Process: Melissa requests for plan review to be on the council agenda. At the Town Council the Proposed Amended Plan becomes a public document for community input. Copies of the amended plan will be available at the meeting. Once the process begins there will be ample time for review, and feedback which includes a public hearing.

Discussion: Aim to present amended Plan at next council meeting July 22, or if not in August, assuming that Mayor and Council wish to the address the matter on that timetable.

Agenda for next and future meetings.

- Revisit March 3 items raised.
- Consider options for more effective way to meet given the pandemic: meet outside, fix the speaker, improve microphone. Brad will offer technical assistance where necessary.
- Check with council on how P&D committee can be more helpful in terms of economic development.

The meeting was adjourned at 8pm.

Minutes respectfully submitted, Laura Monti, Secretary