Hamilton Open Space Committee Minutes of Meeting of October 5, 2017 Hamilton Wenham Library

Members Present: Gretel Clark, Marcia Dolce, Jackie Hodge, Rosemary Kennedy

Meeting was opened at 6:40pm

Members began review of the Open Space Committee letter to the Conservation Committee presenting the idea of a dark sky/light pollution by-law. Some edits were made. Consensus was to continue to future meeting due to need to clarify some technical wording relating to light illumination in consultation with Zach Peters and others.

Gretel Clark reported on her comments to the Board of Selectmen about initial start of town logo ideas for the Patton Riverwalk signage to create an eye catching visual brand for Hamilton. At another brief discussion with the town manager she also had the opportunity to provide this update. The concept was received with enthusiasm and agreement for OSC to continue exploring ideas.

Scenic Roads By-Law discussion – it was agreed to hold off starting preliminary discussion and draft review to a future meeting

OSC members will attend the Conservation Commission meeting October 11 to provide background explanation of roles and responsibilities for the Open Space and Recreation Plan.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:00 pm.

Prep: J. Hodge