

## SEYMOUR PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION

Special Meeting Minutes  
October 23, 2014  
Norma Drummer Room, Town Hall

**Members Present:** D. Bisto, B. Koskelowski, J. Ziehl,

**Members Absent:** W. Birdsell, T. Lavranchuk, W. Scheck, Alt.

**Others Present:** Bill Paecht, ZEO, Jim Galligan, Town Engineer, Nafis & Young

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Chairman, Dave Bitso.

### ***1. Consideration of a Section 8-24 Referral on the Seymour Road Maintenance Program.***

Jim Galligan, town engineer, presented copies of a road report that they prepared for the Town. He stated that the Commission needs to make a favorable referral to the Board of Selectmen that this is a good project for the town to undertake. It is scheduled for referendum vote on election day. He stated that the State has a requirement that any town projects need to be reviewed by the Planning and Zoning Commission. He stated that they looked at as many roads as possible in town and the ones listed in the report are the ones most in need of repair.

Mr. Koskelowski felt that this was not something that the town should be bonding to do. These are recurring items and should be handled by the town in other ways. He felt that the project will be complete and the town will still be paying back the money borrowed.

Mr. Bitso stated that there is no question that the roads are in disrepair and need to be repaired. Mr. Galligan stated that the Commission needs to decide if this project is in the best interests of the town and make that positive referral to the Board of Selectman. The question will be on the ballot on election day and the people will have the opportunity to vote on it and decide if should be done.

**MOTION:** Pursuant to Section 8-24 of the General Statutes of the State of Connecticut, I, Bob Koskelowski hereby make a motion for favorable referral for the Seymour Road Maintenance Program dated 2014, to the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Seymour. This motion is made based on my opinion that the Seymour Road Maintenance Program dated 2014 is in the Town of Seymour's best interest. The motion was seconded by J. Ziehl and carried unanimously (3-0).

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**MOTION:** B. Koskelowski/J. Ziehl to adjourn the meeting.

**Motion carried 3-0.**

The meeting was adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Maryanne DeTullio, Recording Secretary