



TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE

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Minutes of the Meeting of May 19 2016, at the Bourne Community Center

Attending: John Carroll, Richard Conron, Daniel Doucette, Marie Oliva, Dennis Woodside.

Absent: Christopher Farrell, Robert Parady, Cynthia Parola, George Sala,

Call to Order: Chair Marie Oliva called the meeting to order at 3:40 pm.

Minutes of 18 March: approved as recorded.

Discussion of Rt 28A Safety: Due to lack of information as to the specific nature of the subject there was little discussion. Rt 28A is a State Road. If the topic is still current MassDOT should be informed.

Discussion of MBTA's proposed commuter rail: The Pilot project fails to recognize existing commuter patterns and preferences. Bourne's assessment should await start of service.

Identify future agenda items:

Buzzards Bay Bypass Rd: Marie spoke with Tom Guerino who informed that if MassDOT does not do the drainage improvements on the Bypass, then he will not recommend the Town take it. He had discussions with MassDOT in the past and has not been successful. MassDOT won't do the improvements, which is standard practice throughout the State.

Bourne and Sagamore highway bridge loads: To be discussed.

Shining Sea Bikeway extension: This is now with the Cape Cod Commission that is attempting to get grant money to study the feasibility of the project.

Bourne Private Roads: Tom Guerino has stated no private roads will be taken even if some of them are public safety hazards. Chapter 90 money doesn't begin to reimburse the town enough for this to be prudent. It is a high expense to the town.

Next Meeting: The Chair will call for the next meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 4:10 pm.

Submitted:

John Carroll, Clerk