Downtown Revitalization Subcommittee

Tuesday, January 7, 2020 @ 6:00 p.m.

Location: Hall of Fame Room in Stoughton's Old City Hall (381 E. Main St.)

Members present: Phil Caravello, Joe Crubaugh, Denise Duranczyk, Sharon Mason-Boersma, Alan Sheets, Lukas Trow
Members Absent: Peter McMaster, Jamae Ramsden
Visitors: Peggy Veregin, Roger Springman, Rodney Scheel, and Jay Blue from Ayres Associates

Call to Order – made by Denise D.

Old Business – a motion was made to accept the minutes for the Downtown Revitalization Subcommittee meeting of December 3, 2019 by Alan S.; seconded by Denise D. – motion was carried.

New Business – Jay Blue presented information to the subcommittee members about the information from 5 different maps provided to each member focusing on: areas for parking & redevelopment, pedestrian corridors & proposed dining areas; flex parking & proposed civic space; and street sections. The meeting mainly consisted of studying the details from each map on areas for development with much discussion and questions on the main points of interest. Mr. Blue also provided information and discussion followed about the responses of residents 25-44 years of age attending downtown Stoughton events that are most popular for them and significant for downtown interest. Talking about the development on the east side of Stoughton was also focused on and suggestions were made for future outlook.

At the Downtown Revitalization Subcommittee in February, 2020, Jay will provide a full copy of a report that will provide a set of concept drawings with recommendations made to analyze; bullet points will be designed for recommendations. Later, a public input meeting will be held in the future for viewing maps and looking at completed documents. Changes from this meeting will be made and a final document will be given to the RDA. A presentation then will be made to the Stoughton City Council and community residents for implementation.

Next Meeting: Tuesday, February 4, 2020
Motion to Adjourn – Lukas T. made a motion to adjourn the meeting; Denise seconded the motion. Motion was carried.

Minutes written by Sharon Mason-Boersma