

## OHCC Meeting Minutes Tuesday September 6, 2022

1. Approved August minutes.
2. **Select Board** – *Lauren Swartzbaugh* updated the group on the recent SB meeting regarding the FEMA visit followup and the airport’s resource protection zone.
3. **Website** - *Kathryn DerMarderosian* explained that *Ben Bruno*, the technician who oversees the Town website, described a problem with the page hit count. *Stuart Rich* can work with *Ben* to develop a solution.
4. **Plaisted Expansion Property Closing** - *Kathryn DerMarderosian* explained that the closing is moving forward and is expected to complete in September. *Annette Naegel* described how **GRLT** is updating the conservation easement to reflect **LMF** legislative requirements.
5. **Treasurers Report** – *Robin White* reported that all but about 7k\$ of the Plaisted expansion pledges have been collected.
6. **Plaisted Planning** - *Beth Long* discussed plans for Plaisted.
  - The group agreed that the pumpkin walk should be held this year. *Beth Long* will ask her contacts to help with organizing the event. She also mentioned that selected trail work should be completed before the pumpkin walk.
  - *Beth Long* and *Annette Naegel* will contact the **GRLT** trail project team and request their assistance with mulching and securing the log bridges at Plaisted
  - The group discussed placing a donation bucket at the General Store to collect funds for the pumpkin walk.
  - A November Plaisted work day will be planned.
7. **Airport Committee** - *Lauren Swartzbaugh* explained that the OH airport committee is looking to broaden community participation. The group will meet September 15<sup>th</sup>.
8. **Maine Council of Governments (MCG)** - *Kathryn DerMarderosian* discussed **MCG’s** sustainability and resilience program. This program engages communities to investigate how they can address climate change. Grants of up to 50k\$ are available.

### Attendees

Kathryn DerMarderosian

Beth Long

Claire Raymond

Robin White

Jim Devery

Annette Naegel

Lauren Swartzbaugh

Catherine Wiejaczka

**Next Meeting: Tuesday October 4, 2022 6:00 PM at the OH Library**