New Hampshire Public Works Association, Board of Directors

Minutes from August 15, 2009 at LGC Library, Concord, NH

Present: J.Perry, P. Capano, C. Quiram, L. Shaw, B. Sullivan, K. Blomquist

Vice President Perry called the meeting to order at 9:20 a.m.

Public Works Summit – Quiram reported on the Summit; Lent and Quiram are the NHPWA reps. There was good participation and cooperation; there is a lot of potential. The major areas discussed were resources, shared needs, advocacy, legislative issues, speaking with one voice. A follow up meeting is scheduled for 9/22/09. Blomquist noted this is also the national direction.

NHLGC Annual Conference – Perry noted that the deadline for submitting sessions has passed. Blomquist invited Erin Batstone of LGC to join the group to work in sessions. It was decided that two sessions will be held on Thursday, Nov. 19, 2009. The first from 9 – 10:15 will be on Sustainability. The second, from 10:30 – 11:45 will be Historical Resource/Cultural Resource Review by NHDOT. Quiram is confirming presenters and will get back to Batstone.

Construction Career Day – P. Capano reported this field day event for schools will be held the day after the Plow Rally at the Hopkinton Fair Grounds, on 9/25. 4 High Schools and over 100 students are signed up. Capano suggested NHPWA could support with a small financial donation. No quorum.

Subcommittees/Appointments – Perry suggested a list of all subcommittees and other affiliations with NHPWA representatives should be developed. This could also be placed on the website

Newsletter – next edition will be September. Send items to L. Shaw.

Perry adjourned the meeting at 11:00 a.m.

Respectfully submitted by Jennifer Perry, Vice President