

Town of Dover  
Long Range Planning (LRP) Committee Minutes  
12/4/08

The meeting was convened at 7:38am. Present were members Mark Sarro, Geoff Merrill, Jim Dawley, Wally Weld, Sharon Grant, and David Heinlein, Selectman. Members Jerry Arnold and Rich Forte were absent.

The committee voted 4-0 for Sharon Grant to fill Charlie Helliwell's 1-year term.

The three areas the committee focused on last year -- open space, affordable/senior housing, and town organization -- will be revisited. Additional areas proposed include ownership and control of town land, a unified vision of the town, and committees' participation in the Master Plan. Other committees may be brought in to share their views and concerns, i.e. what pressures they are facing that need to be alleviated in the next year and how the LRP Committee can assist them in getting there. LRP Committee members will gather information from other committees -- either by phone or email contact, attending their meetings, or inviting them to attend LRP meetings.

The committee voted 4-0 for Sharon Grant to serve as Chair this year and continue as liaison to the Capital Budget Committee.

The next meeting will be Thursday, 1/8/09 at 7:30am at the Town Garage.

Respectfully submitted,

Sharon Grant  
Temporary Secretary