

South Acton Train Advisory Committee

7:30 PM Thursday 20 October 2016

Acton Senior Center on Audubon Drive

Attendees: David Martin, Tom Campbell, Bob Condon, Michaela Moran, Sean Hanley,

Town Engineer: Corey York

BOS Rep: Peter Berry

Finance Rep: David Wellinghoff

Agenda and Minutes

1. **7:30 Comments from the public**

No Public comment

2. **7:35 Construction - Completion schedule**

Clean up needed.

Need to spread out material

Porta-Potty removal

Random construction materials on site

3. **7:45 Lighting - Maple Street Entrance, ARRT. and Main Lot**

Maple Street poles were lowered from 20 feet to 12 feet

Questions for MBTA: (David to follow up)

Will the lights be shut off from 1:15 - 5:15?

Are shields going to be put in place?

4. **7:50 Panels - Selectman Recommendation on Railroad St. and/or Main lot.**

Historic Commission

Plan did not follow the review process

Needs a 106 review (Federal /Historic Area needed

Needs Massachusetts Historic involvement

Historic Commission to follow up

Bob Condon noted his displeasure with the entire conversation after all of the work done to keep the area historic and Solar panels simply do not fit in.

Corey met up with solar contractor

20 year lease structure

Takes fixed rate and lease payments and credits

Unclear on cash flow, but depends on design

Question: Can we swap Railroad Street for part of Main lot to protect historic district

David to contact Jamie Eldridge and Joe Noland

5. 8:10 **Parking Lots - Status on new metering, Main lot re-layout, expansion, bike parking, etc.**

Need to number parking spots

New meters should be installed the following week

Need to advertise the fare increase

Gordan Richards

Getting ready to do something with adjoining property

He has received another developer letter

BOS has sent a letter also

Any action would require a town meeting approval.

6. 8:20 ***Traffic patterns - Main Street turn and crossing, Complete Streets***

Line painting to happen

Turn Lanes

Bike Lane, Car Lanes and spacing

Car counts are continuing.

Discussion on left hand turn at Maple Street.

Will need intersection resolution when Bike Path is installed.

7. 8:25 **Parking type recommendation - AART, Maple St. etc.**

Discussion postponed

8. 8:30 **Review & accept prior meeting minutes**

Reviewed and accepted July 21, 2016 minutes

9. 8:35 **Future Meetings and Calendar event**

November 17, 2016

December 15, 2016

10. 8:40 **Adjourn**