

Smart Growth Housing Work Group

Meeting #6 Minutes

1/16/2023

Present: Karen Sullivan, Sean Lewis, Danny Lapin, Jared Shue
Next meeting: 1/30/23 @ 5:30 pm (online – Google Meet)
Video call link: [https:// meet.google. com/twq-jead-jms](https://meet.google.com/twq-jead-jms)

Submitted by J. Shue

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1. Announcements

- a. The Senior Housing Work Group has asked for a volunteer from each work group to be a member of their Focus Group meeting in March. Karen volunteered to represent the Smart Growth Work Group.
- b. Jared updated the group on building projects currently under consideration.

2. Discussion

- a. On the topic of neighborhood improvement: Danny mentioned the Oswego Renaissance Association and Fulton Block Builders. Both of these programs are being researched by the Neighborhood Improvement group.
- b. On the topic of Infrastructure: Sean stressed the importance of infrastructure and the correlation of infrastructure and housing (water, internet, sewer, electricity). Comprehensive housing improvements will be difficult without the cooperation of the town and county. Perhaps the Smart Growth Planning Grant can be a joint plan between the city and other municipalities/the county. This can be a multi-phase project.

3. Next Meeting

Ad-hoc meeting #7 will take place on 1/30/2023 at 5:30 pm on Google Meet.