Public Ways Safety Committee Meeting Unapproved Minutes Bolton, MA October 13, 2021

Members Present:

Mary Ciummo, Shandy Carpenter, Michael Keller, Holly Lauer, Steve McKeown The meeting was held via Zoom and called to order at

Follow up to meeting with Police Chief Nelson

Stationary signs are in place on Sugar Road and Forbush Mill Road, and a mobile sign with data (volume/speed) capture abilities is in place on Longhill Road.

Follow up to sign requests on Forbush Mill and Pinewood Roads

Mary spoke with Janet about Forbush Mill Rd. The Pinewood issue is not yet resolved. Mary sent Kia Oceanbein stop sign placement and traffic accident data for the public forum.

Horse sign requests, next step

The Committee will present the detailed location and graphics for the five horse signs to Randy Heglin at the next meeting. If all parties agree, the Committee will advise making request to Selectmen.

Century Mill/S. Bolton Road intersection, resident concern

Complete Streets prioritization and difficulty of intersection navigation were cited as reasoning for changes to the intersection. Multiple changes to the intersection have occurred over time, with various opinions. Narrow adjacent roads continue to concern the resident.

Walk to School Day

The annual event took place last month (Oct. 6). The Committee discussed supporting and helping plan the route and event next year.

Schedule meeting with Randy Heglin

Randy is scheduled to attend the PWSC meeting on October 27. The Committee discussed questions regarding budget, painting costs/timing, personnel availability, planned projects, rotary approval progress, horse signs, S Bolton Rd/Spectacle Hill Rd 3-way stop, Sampson Rd arrow signs, Main Street, Moving Together conference, and grants, including Covid funds.

Master Plan public forum

The public meeting is scheduled for Sunday, October 17 at Florence Sawyer. Town comments collected at Backyard Bolton event and community preference data will be gathered at stations regarding sidewalks, roadways, parking, etc.

Minutes submitted by Shandy Carpenter