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Livable Communities Committee Meeting Thursday, April 23, 2026 @ 7:00 pm Seymour Town Hall - Flaherty Room

Present: Jennifer Behuniak, Sandra Gesek, Jack Halligan, Betty Musto, & Suzanne Reilly,
Absent: Sarah Stroud

1. Suzanne called the meeting to order @ 7:05 pm.
2. Pledge of Allegiance: all stood for the Pledge of Allegiance.
3. Public comment: None
4. Approval of the March 26, 2026, Betty made a motion to approve with the update to the March 26, 2026, meeting minutes which was seconded by Jack. Motion carried.
5. Member Updates:
 1. Social Participation
 2. Respect & Social Inclusion
 3. Communication & Information

6. New Business:

Jack: shares a mock up of the 'Welcome to Seymour' guide. Topics include: Town Essentials, Discover Seymour, Parks & Recreation, & Local Business. All members will email feedback to John by May 1, 2026 so a draft can be sent to the First Selectwoman.

7. Old Business:

- Suzanne: April 5, 2026 members met at the community center to make calls. 8 people were reached and 11 additional notes were sent to those who they did not connect with. Members start deciding on a May meet up to continue calling.
- The members discuss goals for 2026.
 1. Send out one mailings per year to our target population. Mailing of local & emergency information, and encouraging participation in offered town services.
 2. Monthly phone calls to households with older individuals- reaching each participant at least 2 per year. Follow with mailing not if not reached.
 3. Work alongside the Community Center Director and Senior Services Coordinator with feedback from calls.
 4. Develop a 'Welcome to Seymour Packet' for Seymour's Town Website.

Suzanne to reach out to the First Selectwomen to join the June 25, 2026 meeting to review the finalized 'Welcome to Seymour' Packet.
After discussion members agree on these goals for the committee for 2026.

8. Prepared the Agenda for Thursday, May 28, 2026 meeting.
Review updated version of 'Welcome to Seymour' Packet
9. Public comment: None
10. Betty made a motion to adjourn, and Sandra seconded the motion. The motion carried.
11. The meeting adjourned at 8:04PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Jennifer Behuniak, Secretary