

## CDAC Meeting 3.15.23

Items for our consideration March 15th at 6:00 PM. Hope you can join us.

1. KVCOG review of GIS information for Cannery Lot -- Robyn Stanicki.
2. Review short version of List of Community Actions and select for the grant (required element).
3. Review projects from the list previously generated work and select for inclusion as potential projects for planning study. Align selections with List of Community Actions (see attachment "survey dashboard for a reasonably comprehensive list).
4. Discuss establishing a 3-town (Freedom, Knox, Unity) work group to look at possible joint implementation projects for Fall/Winter 2023 following planning grant study. Select representatives (if appropriate).

### Attendees

- Robyn Stanicki
- Prentice Grassi
- Alexis Bennett
- Colleen Hanlon Smith
- Wilson Hess
- Walter Fuller
- Ann Hubbard
- Shawn Murphy
- Lissa Widoff

### **6:05 pm Start**

#### Topic 1: Review and discussion of the Preliminary GIS Map provided by KVCOG

General Overview of the lot overall This provided enough insight to understand what we may need to take for next steps to get the lot evaluated further to determine its potential.

#### Topic 2: Review of Community Action Grant List

Primary: Actions that are applicable to the first available grant, primary grant.

Secondary: Actions that are applicable later once the primary grant has been acquired.

Strategy Area A:

A2- Yes - Secondary

A5- Maybe a Commuter lot- Secondary

A8- Maybe yes, maybe no- Secondary

Strategy Area B: NO

Strategy Area C: YES - Secondary

Strategy Area D: YES

D1 - YES - Secondary - Work with Colleen - Food Processing Facility

D3 - YES- Primary - The site is not a brownfield via DEP evaluation, but could this be applicable as this is a disturbed/contaminated site?

D4 - YES - Secondary

D5 - YES - Secondary

Strategy Area E: YES

E1 - YES - Secondary

E6- YES- Primary

E8- YES- Secondary

E10- YES - Primary

Strategy Area F: NO

Strategy Area G: YES - Thirdly - But independently of this particular project - Applicable to Public Works

Deadline for First Grant Application? No Official Deadline for the date as legislature has not approved the budget- BUT the rough deadline is May

### Topic 3: Shared Effort Between Towns:

- o Let's get a community project committee together between the 3 towns- Build a charter- Project "Unnamed". The more towns the better- What do we all have in common and what effort could we work together on?
  - Solar Power?
  - Agricultural Farming and Food Processing?
  - Community Composting?
  - Community Public Works?
- o Ask the selectman to appoint a committee and committee leader with other folks from Knox and Unity
- o Does KVCOG have a list of consultants? Yes. Robyn will pass along.
  - Solar Rating
  - Wetland/Site Specialist
  - Soil Test
  - What is the cost to get this completed?
  - Dirigo Engineering? Get proposals from a few different Engineering firms that can accomplish all of the above.