

**Land Use Planning Committee
Summary of January 21, 2002 Meeting
Olde Stone Building**

Members Present: R. Toole, C. Brown, M. Donaroma, A. Woodruff, L. Sibley, K. Rusczyk, B. Zeltzer, M. Ottens-Sargent, J. Athearn, J. Best, K. Warner

Staff Present: Jennifer Rand

Others Present: See Attached

Meeting opened at 5:30 PM by Richard Toole & adjourned at 7:05

The LUPC discussed the ancient ways on the site of the DIGC. They were concerned with continued public access. They also questioned whether the trail would be opened to vehicle passage. The former Webb's campground was discussed. Commissioners inquired about the number of sites and the acreage associated with the proposed campground. The conversation then moved to the question of whether or not organic golf courses exist and if they work. There was no clear answer to this question. He Commissioners suggested developing a review committee to look at information about various chemicals as they became available. They also wanted the Watershed Protection Committee to be able to change the monitoring plan if it was needed. Concerns were voiced regarding the possible "collateral damage" to moths that pass through areas sprayed by pesticides. It was recommended that no spray be allowed in the rough to limit this potential. Commissioners also questioned whether it would be possible to ask the Lagoon Pond Association and the Friends of Sengekontacket to adhere to the organic definition.

Commissioners asked staff to investigate the total acreage of pitch pine cut down. They also asked staff to develop an ecological and natural habitat "bibliography" that would assist the Commissioner attempting to locate such information.

No votes were taken.

Meeting was recorded.