

**Salisbury Planning Commission**  
**Minutes of the August 2, 2021 Meeting – DRAFT**

Members present: Ariell Slater, Morgan Cate, Barrie Bailey, Deb Brighton  
Also present: Katie Raycroft-Meyer, ACRPC

Ariell opened the meeting at 7 and turned it over to Katie to go through her compilation of the natural resource goals and objectives. In a group editing process, these were revised. Katie will combine the group's revisions and email the package for review. Before the next meeting, planning commission members should look at what Katie sends as well as the master list of suggested objectives and actions that she used to create the package. If anything should be added or deleted or moved to another section, members should comment.

Katie also followed up on a few items from the last meeting.

- The terms being used by the state are: highest priority forest blocks, high priority forest blocks, and highest priority connectivity blocks.
- The town forest is not included in the state's "conserved land" data layer, although it is not clear why.
- The forest area west of Upper Plains Road will be called the Pitch Pine block.

The village center application is being reviewed by the ACRPC. Katie suggested shrinking the area by eliminating the area behind many of the buildings instead of following the parcel boundary lines. The ACRPC will finalize the map and write the letter confirming the town's planning process (which is needed for the designation).

The minutes of the July 19 meeting were passed unanimously.

The next meeting will be held on September 6.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:18.

Submitted by  
Deb Brighton