

Minutes for Comprehensive Planning Committee June 25 2026

Minutes taken by Bob Dederick

Meeting started: 6:36pm

Members present: Susan Weeks, Sam Dederick, Lauren Ruberg, Carol Anne Mayone, Laura Diffenderfer, Bob Dederick

Also present: Stephanie Bassler: Town Board Liaison

Absent: Katie Hamor & Richard Azoff

Approve Minutes from 4/22/26: All in Favor

Town Board Report from Stephanie Bassler:

Grants for: 1. A planning grant for stormwater erosion control on Kalina Dr. Deadline Aug 21, 26.

2. Grant for Shout Out Saugerties for art pertaining to Augusta Savage. 3. Signing contract for Pro housing grant

Saugerties police officer suffered eye loss in an on duty altercation.

Shout Out Saugerties is having a public meeting regarding consolidation of town & village services: 7/13 at 6pm

Business:

Vote: Take off July & August for summer vacation. All in favor. Reconvene Sept. 24.

Continue discussion of Goal 4. Stephanie wants to write a recreational master plan for the town & village.

To be continued after approval by town & village officials.

Susan wants language regarding pollution and pesticides on recreation property, including the village beach.

Vote to add suggestion to update committee for goal #4: "Regulate more stringent use of chemical fertilizers, herbicides, & pesticides on our public recreation sites and open space, and roadways."

Meeting adjourned @ 8:36pm.

Next meeting: September 24, 2026