Town of Goshen Planning Board Pit Inspection Minutes of October 7, 2017

Planning Board members present: Alicea Bursey (Chair), Bruce Nadeau (Vice-Chair), Doug O'Clair, and Stephen Bursey (alternate, non-voting).

Guest (s): Shaun Carroll, Jr.

Meeting called to order at 8:00am

The Planning Board met at the Anderson Pit at 8am and inspected phases one and two. The pit was found to be clean and in compliance with reclamation with on going reclamation and excavation plans. Of note the Anderson Pit uses a pre-screening method in their leveling out process so that equipment make fewer passes during reclamation and thus reduces noise in the pit. During the inspection it was also noted that there is an estimated 4 years of life left for the southern most part of the pit (demand dependent).

The board also toured a potential future phase that may be proposed sometime in the next four years. There are no firm plans to for another phase, but it is a possibility.

The Planning Board also inspected the Davis Pit, again the pit was found to be clean and without issue. At some point in the future a road may be installed from the upper most part (near the Haino property) of the pit connecting it with the lower part of the pit.

It is expected that more loads of sand will be removed this year from the Davis pit, though at this point there is no equipment in the pit. Mr. Carroll Jr., estimates that the upper part of the pit could possibly be fully reclaimed within 3 years (demand dependent).

Both pits were found to be clean and in good order.

Doug O'Clair motioned to give both the Anderson and Davis Pits a "pass" status on the annual inspection. Bruce Nadeau seconded, all were in favor.

Bruce Nadeau made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Doug O'Clair seconded, all were in favor. The meeting adjourned at 9:17am.

Respectfully Submitted, Alicea Bursey Chair