Hazard Mitigation Plan Update M1

Meeting Minutes November 7, 2017

Committee Members Present: John Clark, Leslie Palmer, Nanci Schofield and Therese Larson Community Members Present: Kim Fortune, Historical Society President, Kelly Gale, Webster resident Facilitator: Stephanie Alexander, Central NH Regional Planning Commission

Stephanie Alexander opened the meeting at 6:30 PM.

Following introductions, the process and schedule of tasks related to the 2018 Hazard Mitigation Plan Update were discussed. Meetings and work sessions will take place over a six month period, culminating in a Public Information Meeting in April, 2018.

The Committee discussed new natural disasters and hazard events occurring in Webster since 2001.

The Committee worked on developing a new Hazard Risk Assessment (HRA) with greater emphasis on natural hazards and disasters and less of a focus on tech and human hazards. Probability of and impacts from each hazard as it relates to Webster were rated.

Ms. Alexander distributed a calendar of upcoming meetings. Much of the work to update the plan will occur outside of the scheduled meetings and will be tracked on individual time sheets.

Next steps were discussed. The Committee will continue its rating of hazards at the next work session on November 21st and will also begin map revision.

Action Items:

Leslie will send Stephanie anecdotal information regarding past natural disasters.

Respectfully Submitted,

Leslie M. Palmer