

**Town of Bennington
Planning Commission**

Monday, July 16, 2012

5:15 p.m.

**Town of Bennington Conference Room
205 South Street
Bennington, Vermont 05201**

MINUTES

Members Present: Charles Copp, Barry Horst, Ken Swierad, Mike McDonough

Also Present Dan Monks - Planning Director, Bill Colvin - BCRC, Mike Harrington Economic Development Director, Jim Sullivan – BCRC, John Shannahan – BBC, Lindy Lynch – Chamber.

Meeting was called to order at 5:15 p.m.

Economic Development Plan Proposal: Bill Colvin, BCRC, facilitated a review of the Indigenous Assets and a SWOT (Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities, Threats) Analysis developed from input from the last meeting. Several additions and modifications were suggested. Bill Colvin will make changes and distribute revised drafts to the Economic Development Steering Committee members for review prior to the next meeting.

The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted

Daniel W. Monks
Planning Director