

CATEGORY: MISCELLANEOUS
SPONSORED BY: Sponsor Kabot, Sponsor Kenny
DEPARTMENT: LAND MANAGEMENT
RESOLUTION: 1823
TITLE: ADOPTION OF THE UPDATE TO THE TOWN OF
SOUTHAMPTON COMPREHENSIVE PLAN
TRANSPORTATION ELEMENT REPORT
Tabled From 12/14/04 01:00 PM

The following resolution was introduced by Councilwoman Kabot, seconded by Councilman Kenny, and duly ADOPTED with the following recorded vote:

Heaney:Yes; Kenny:Yes; Kabot:Yes; Suskind:Yes; Graboski:Yes

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Southampton, by Resolution No. 855 dated June 20, 2003, has retained the services of Ron Hill, P.E. of Dunn Engineering P.C. for the completion of the Southampton Intermodal Transportation Study; and

WHEREAS, said work was authorized to update the draft 2003 Southampton Intermodal Transportation Study prepared by Clifford R. Bragdon and Associates; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Southampton, by Resolution No. 462 dated April 13, 2004 authorized the amendment of the Scope of Services to include the coordination with a Transportation Advisory Task Force "Working Committee" to assist with report completion and extend the terms of the contract between the Town of Southampton and Ron Hill, P.E. of Dunn Engineering Associates, P.C. until July 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, said "Working Committee" was charged with responsibilities to review the draft working copy of a report prepared by Ron Hill, P.E., and voluntarily assist with formulating revisions, compiling additional information, and guiding the Consultant and the Department of Land Management Town Planning and Development Administrator to a complete draft report for release to the full Task Force and general review; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Southampton and the Town Planning Board held a joint Work Session on August 27, 2004 to review the progress report, Update to the Town of Southampton 1999 Comprehensive Plan Transportation Element, dated August 20, 2004 and its associated appendices; and

WHEREAS, the draft Town of Southampton 1999 Comprehensive Plan Transportation Element dated August 20, 2004 was circulated to the Town Board, Planning Board and the Suffolk County Planning Commission, Suffolk County Department of Public Works, New York State Department of Transportation and was made available to adjoining jurisdictions for review; and

WHEREAS, public hearings were held on September 28, 2004, October 12, 2004 and November 9, 2004 to consider the Update to the Town of Southampton Comprehensive Plan Transportation Element, dated August 2004; and

WHEREAS, the public hearing of November 9, 2004 was closed with a ten (10) day written comment period; and

WHEREAS, the Town Planning Board adopted a resolution dated September 16, 2004, offering no objections, additions or deletions to said report; and

WHEREAS, no written comments were received from the New York State Department of Transportation and Suffolk County Department of Public Works; and

WHEREAS, a letter was received from the Suffolk County Planning Commission, dated November 3, 2004 with the following comments on said report:

- The Commission conceptually resolved to approve amendment(s) to the Update to the Town of Southampton Comprehensive Plan Transportation Element subject to jurisdictional considerations of the New York State Department of Transportation and the Suffolk County Department of Public Works.
- The Commission is concerned with the viability of the proposed roundabouts on such high volume roadways as CR 39 and CR 80. Moreover, while the aesthetic consideration is warranted, the Commission is concerned with the potential cost and logistics of locating utilities underground; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Southampton acknowledges the comments offered by the Suffolk County Planning Commission and the Report recommends that the aforementioned issues require further study, with input by the Suffolk County Department of Public Works and the New York State Department of Transportation; and

WHEREAS, a copy of the Update to the Town of Southampton 1999 Comprehensive Plan Transportation Element, dated November 30, 2004 was distributed to the Town Board, Town Clerk and to the Town Attorney on December 9, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Update to the Town of Southampton 1999 Comprehensive Plan Transportation Element, dated November 30, 2004 is in accordance with the recommendations of the 1999 Comprehensive Plan Update and serves to implement and update this document; now

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Southampton hereby adopts, as an amendment to the Town of Southampton's Comprehensive Plan, the Update to the Town of Southampton 1999 Comprehensive Plan Transportation Element, dated November 30, 2004; and

