

“Foundry/Marathon/Campbell” Forum, May 8, 2010
Cold Spring Special Board for a Comprehensive Plan

In the Spring of 2010, the Special Board for a Comprehensive Plan organized a series of five public forums to discuss issues that had surfaced during the prior 2 ½ years of work on the comprehensive plan. Most of the forums were held on Saturdays, at the VFW hall on Kemble Avenue, to make them accessible to as many people from the community as possible. (The exception was a forum held the evening of Monday, May 10, 2010, on The Two Main Streets, to enable business owners to attend.)

Each forum was divided into three or four sections, each with a facilitator and a note taker. The facilitated sessions had two rounds, with a facilitator leading the discussion for 30 minutes, followed by a break, and a second session of equal length.

What follows are the transcribed notes taken from the Conservation, Integration into Community, and Economic Vitality sessions of the Foundry/Marathon/Campbell forum on May 8, 2010:

- 1) Conservation - Karen Doyle led discussion of conservation issues on the Marathon/Foundry/Campbell area, and Mike Armstrong took notes.
- 2) Integration into Community - Marie Early led discussion on integrating the Marathon/Foundry/Campbell area with the village, and Liz Armstrong took notes.
- 3) Economic vitality - Michael Reisman led discussion of economic issues with regard to Marathon/Foundry/Campbell area, and Dick Weissbrod took notes.