

**MASTER PLAN COMMITTEE
APPROVED MINUTES
July 24, 2017**

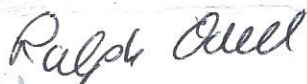
**Attendees: Ralph Odell - Chair, Ted Mitchell -
Secretary, Helen Schoppmeyer, Roland Carter**

Public Attendee: Kevin Gibson

- 1. Call to Order: 7:06 pm**
- 2. Approval of Minutes - June 24, 2017: No Changes**
- 3. Natural Resources:**
 - Soils Dictate Type/Size of Buildings Can be Built on a Particular Site**
 - Working on Getting Formal Maps of Pittsfield's Aquifers, Flood Plain and Soils**
 - Air Quality - No Monitoring in Town**
 - Reviewed Topographical and Water Resource Maps**
 - Water - There are no Catch Basins Under the Streets Causing Rain Water with Pollutants from Streets to Flow into the River.**
 - Paragraph on the Water Cycle will be Added to this Chapter**
 - Discussed what Community Goals Should be When Managing Soil and Water**
- 4. Next Meeting: August 14, 2017**
- 6. Adjourned: 8:07 pm**

Prepared by: Ted Mitchell, Secretary

Submitted: Ralph Odell, Chairman, Master Plan Committee


Ralph Odell