

**TOWN OF KITTERY, MAINE  
PLANNING BOARD MEETING  
Council Chambers**

**APPROVED  
November 8, 2018**

**map 60, Lot 10) in the Residential Rural (R-RL) and Shoreland Overlay and Resource Protection (OZ-RP & OZ-SL 250") Zones. Seconded by Mr. Ledgett.**

**Motion carried 7- 0- 0.**

**ITEM 8 – Board Member Items / Discussion**

Vice Chair Kalmar read the proposed letter of support to the Town Council from the Planning Board for the York River Watershed Stewardship Plan and Wild & Scenic River Partnership designation. **Mr. Alesse moved to the send the letter of support to the Town Council. Seconded by Mr. Ledgett. Motion carried 7-0-0.**

Mr. White mentioned putting the Comprehensive Plan priority list on a future agenda. The Board discussed possibly putting it on for the 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting in January.

**ITEM 9 – Town Planner/Director of Planning & Development Items**

Mr. Causey gave an update on the Recodification effort. A kick-off meeting with Northstar Planning would be held soon. At that meeting, the steering committee will work with the consultant to lay out the overall project timeline and tasks.

**Adjournment**

**Moved by Mr. Alesse, seconded by Mr. White.**

**Motion carried 7-0-0**

Board meeting of November 8, 2018 adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

Submitted by Jamie Steffen, Town Planner, on January 22, 2019.

**Disclaimer:** The following minutes constitute the author's understanding of the meeting. Whilst every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of the information, the minutes are not intended as a verbatim transcript of comments at the meeting, but a summary of the discussion and actions that took place. For complete details, please refer to the video of the meeting on the Town of Kittery website at <http://www.townhallstreams.com/locations/kittery-maine>.



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**TO:** TOWN COUNCIL

**FROM:** PLANNING BOARD

**SUBJECT: YORK RIVER DESIGNATION AS A PARTNERSHIP WILD AND  
SCENIC RIVER**

**DATE:** NOVEMBER 9, 2018

**CC:** KENDRA AMARAL, TOWN MANAGER; ADAM CAUSEY, DIRECTOR OF  
PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT

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The Kittery Planning Board urges the Kittery Town Council to endorse the designation of the York River and its major tributaries as a Partnership Wild and Scenic River and support the accompanying stewardship plan. We view the York River watershed as vital to our region. The portion of the watershed in Kittery is subject to significant growth pressure and the federal funding accompanying designation could be used to help us evaluate responsible growth there. We do understand that the stewardship committee, required as part of designation and whose membership is appointed by each watershed community's governance body, may recommend measures to protect the river but that any proposed land used changes will still have to be approved by each community's governance body.

As read and unanimously adopted by the Planning Board on November 8, 2018.