

Bristol Town Administrator

From: David Henderson <gilpoke6@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, September 29, 2021 7:56 AM
To: Bristol Town Administrator
Cc: Kristen Underwood; Dave Sharpe; Ed Germon; Paul Scaramucci; Dash, Carolyn; Recreation Director
Subject: Re: Boulder

Valerie, Put me on the agenda for Oct 11 please. Thanks, Dave Henderson

On Tue, Sep 28, 2021 at 5:51 PM Bristol Town Administrator <townadmin@bristolvt.org> wrote:

Thank you, Dave, for the update and information. The memorial boulder is a very thoughtful gesture to Pete's memory and to honor his contributions. I do not know if the previous memorial installations received Selectboard approval, but the current Selectboard is moving in that direction based on recent experiences. Seeking approval would also be a way to draw public attention to the proposal, the community support behind it, and to remember Pete's role in the community. The next Selectboard meetings are Oct. 11 and Oct. 25.

Thanks,

--Valerie

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Valerie, Pete's Friends hope the memorial boulder that is being prepared will find its home on the small grassy area with the kiosk and table (both built on site by Pete Diminico) at Eagle Park. We considered several locations on town and private property and settled on this site which was dear to Pete, gets many visitors and overlooks the platform and the New Haven River with Mt. Abe in the background. We hope the inscribed boulder can be placed this fall and do not think it will interfere with next year's platform repairs.

Re. the boulder itself: approx. dimensions are 3.5x2.5x3 ft., wgt. 1500-2000 lbs. Photos and proposed inscription layout will be forwarded on other emails as my computer skills are limited.

Ed Germon has volunteered expert technical help on this project and has had good support from the Bristol road crew. (The boulder now lies near the town garage.) I also received support from the Conservation Commission when I attended their Sept. 9 meeting. I was unaware that I should have directly included the Rec Dept. I will include Meridith and you in future emails.

Thanks, Dave Henderson

On Mon, Sep 27, 2021 at 5:58 PM Bristol Town Administrator <townadmin@bristolvt.org> wrote:

Hi again,

It occurred to me: new installations at Town parks may require Selectboard approval and should be coordinated with the Recreation Department. Can you please share details of the proposed memorial?

Thanks!

--Valerie

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Thank you, Dave—and all.

--Valerie

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Sending this along to make you aware re.current status of the stone memorial at Eagle Park planned for Pete Diminico. Dave Henderson

----- Forwarded message -----

From: **David F. Henderson** <gilpoke6@gmail.com>
Date: Mon, Sep 27, 2021 at 4:37 PM
Subject: Re: Boulder
To: Dave Sharpe <davesharpe@gmavt.net>
Cc: Ed Germon <edgermon@gmail.com>

Dave, I did...but I sold it Sept. 1!

On September 27, 2021, at 4:34 PM, Dave Sharpe <davesharpe@gmavt.net> wrote:
I have a rugged trailer and I may be able to find a truck to tow it. Or perhaps you have a tow vehicle?
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On Sep 27, 2021, at 1:21 PM, David F. Henderson <gilpoke6@gmail.com> wrote:

Ed, wish I still had the F-150! I think there is enough \$ to hire\rent a flatbed. Maybe Dave S. had an idea. Dave H

On September 27, 2021, at 12:34 PM, Eddie Germon <edgermon@gmail.com> wrote:

Brynn (Memorial Sandblast) has us clear anytime, any work day (except Thursdays), to lift Pete's boulder into production.

I now need to coordinate the loading of the boulder at the town yard. I will also work on the flatbed truck option and get back to you on that.

Seeyasoon,
Ed

SCALED DRAWING
APPROXIMATE SHAPE MADE FROM CUSTOMER PROVIDED RUBBING

1 1/4" LETTERS

“WHEN I
LEAVE THIS
PLANET, I WANT
TO MAKE SURE
THAT I’VE MADE
MY LITTLE
DIFFERENCE
FOR THIS RIVER.”
PETE DIMINICO

for Ed Germon
Boulder that will be delivered
Appx. 4' x 3' x 2'
Sandblast area appx. 24" x 30"

