CENTRAL VERMONT REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION 1 2 **Executive Committee MINUTES** 3 4 December 5, 2022 Meeting 5 Present: × × × Michael Gray Peter Carbee Laura Hill-Eubanks × Lee Cattaneo × Steve Lotspeich Janet Shatney × Jerry D'Amico 6 Staff: Christian Meyer, Nancy Chartrand, Brian Voigt 7 Guests: George Clain, Barre Town Commissioner; Ahsan Ijaz, Ijaz Group; Bryan Mills, Montpelier 8 9 **Call to Order** 10 Chair Lotspeich called the meeting to order at 4:01 pm. 11 12 Adjustments to the Agenda 13 Christian Meyer requested adding the CCRCP CEDS Contract Amendment authorization extending the 14 contract completion date. There was also a brief discussion of adding the exit interview information to 15 a future agenda under executive session. 16 17 **Public Comment** 18 None. 19 20 **FY22 Audit Update** 21 Christian Meyer advised the FY22 audit has been completed and is in draft form at this time. There will 22 not be a management discussion and analysis as there has been in the past due to Bonnie's departure. 23 He noted that no deficiencies were identified, however, there were recommendations regarding 24 timesheet approval and documentation, journal entry approval process, and internal controls 25 recommendations. The next step will be to receive final audit in approximately one week, which is to be 26 submitted to funders by 12/31/22. At the January Executive Committee meeting the auditor will join to 27 provide a full presentation on the audit. Discussion ensued regarding providing the audit to funders 28 prior to the Committee approving it. It was confirmed that the audit is not "approved" but rather 29 "accepted" by the Committee. 30 31 **Financial Report** 32 Ahsan Ijaz provided an overview of the financial report provided in the packet. 33 J. D'Amico moved to accept October 31, 2022 unaudited financials, second by M. Gray. Motion carried. 34 35 **Contract/Agreement Authorization** 36 Department of Environmental Conservation – Upper Winooski Stormwater Mitigation Projects 37 P. Carbee moved to authorize the Acting Executive Director to sign the agreement; L. Cattaneo seconded. 38 Motion carried. 39

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- K. Bellavance Landworks and Hauling Gully Stabilization and Stormwater Mitigation at The Health
 Center
 P. Carbee moved to authorize the Acting Executive Director to sign the contract amendment; L. Cattaneo seconded. Motion carried.
- 6 <u>SLR International Corporation Plainfield Gully Stormwater Implementation Engineering Services –</u>
- 7 <u>Amendment #1</u>

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- P. Carbee moved to authorize the Acting Executive Director to sign the contract amendment; L. Cattaneo
 seconded. Motion carried.
- Chittenden County Regional Planning Commission Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy
 Amendment #2
- P. Carbee moved to authorize the Acting Executive Director to sign the contract amendment; L. Cattaneo seconded. Motion carried.
- 16 Christian Meyer and Brian Voigt provided further details on the "for the information only" contracts that were also included in the packet.

FY24 Nominating Committee

20 Christian Meyer provided an overview of the memorandum in the packet. Discussion ensued on next steps and it was agreed to send a recruitment email out to the full Board. Laura Hill Eubanks also offered to serve as the Executive Committee member on the committee.

Insurance Update

25 Christian Meyer provided an overview of the memorandum in the packet.

Clean Water Service Provider Director

P. Carbee moved to designate the Executive Director and/or Acting Director as CWSP Director seconded by L. Hill-Eubanks. Motion carried.

Executive Director Search Committee Update

Chair Lotspeich advised the Committee has received a total of 18 applicants and are in the process of contacting five applicants for interviews with the Search Committee; which will take place on Thursday, December 15th and Friday, December 16th. A recommendation will then be made of candidates to be interviewed by the full Executive Committee prior to a final recommendation going before the Board.

January Meeting Date

It was confirmed the Committee will need to meet Tuesday, January 3rd due to the holiday.

Meeting Minutes

- 41 It was noted the minutes should be amended to change "CVRPC Participation Policy" to "CVRPC
- 42 Personnel Policy".
- 43 L. Hill-Eubanks moved to approve October 31, 2022 Executive Committee minutes as amended; L.
- 44 Cattaneo seconded. Motion carried.

1 Commission Meeting Agenda

- 2 Christian Meyer provided a brief overview of the planned presentations on the agenda. It was
- 3 suggested to move the Shared Assessor presentation ahead of the CEDS item on the agenda.
- 4 *J. D'Amico moved to approve December 13, 2022 Board agenda as amended; P. Carbee seconded.*
- 5 Motion carried.

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Adjourn

8 L. Cattaneo moved to adjourn at 5:11 pm; M. Gray seconded. Motion carried.

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- 10 Respectfully submitted,
- 11 Nancy Chartrand, Office Manager

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