



At this point in the meeting it was noted that several projects will be completed by this time in 2016. They are 1) continuing the sidewalks on Killington Road 2) lighting 3) paving on Killington Road 4) landscaping 5) covered bridge and 6) crosswalks. This is all possible through local funding and grants.

**RESORT REPORT:**

Rob Megnin

The Resort has expanded its event schedule by adding four new events including Dirty Girl Mud Run, JerkFest, Race to the Peak and Oktoberfest. JerkFest, Race to the Peak and Oktoberfest were collaborative efforts with the Town/KPAA. Repeat events include Brewfest and the Spartan Race. The combination of new and old events plus the addition of the Adventure Center have contributed to several weekends of sold out lodging. The 2015/2016 ski season opened on Sunday with 750 season pass holders. The press coverage was overwhelming with features on NBC, ABC and CNN along with local coverage. The printed word was also favorable and 12,000 new Facebook likes were noted.

**VCRD Report Review:**

The commission members reviewed each priority in the original Vermont Council on Rural Development released in April of 2008. The four priorities were 1) BUILD A KILLINGTON TOWN/MOUNTAIN PARTNERSHIP 2) EXPAND FOUR SEASON EVENTS 3) ESTABLISH COMPREHENSIVE MARKETING/DEVELOP A HEALTHY RECREATION BRAND and 4) BUILD AN INDOOR/OUTDOOR CENTER. Each priority was discussed in detail and it was noted what had been accomplished and what was still pending. These discussion points will be used to draft a report to be presented at our November meeting and, if approved, presented at a special town meeting scheduled for January 26<sup>th</sup>, 2016. At that time all partners will be asked to commit to a common effort to achieve written goals or to change direction for future planning.

Because of time constraints the 2015/2017 Events & Marketing Budget was tabled until the next scheduled meeting.

The next meeting of the EDTC is scheduled for Monday, November 16<sup>th</sup>, 2016, at 3:30 PM in the Municipal Offices.

On a motion by Gerrie and seconded by Rob the meeting was adjourned at 5:10 PM.

Respectfully submitted  
Gerrie Russell