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**Durham**

**Freeport**

**Pownal**

**Communications Subcommittee Report**

Date: October 19, 2010

Committee: Communications

Chair: Jane Blais

Meeting Dates: October 14, 2010

Members Present: Jane Blais, Kristen Dorsey, John Green, and Shannon Welsh

Agenda Items and Discussion:

**Update on Communications with Parent Groups and Municipal Officials:**

Members are in the process of reaching out to these organizations. Jane and Kristen have met with the municipal officers and both were well received. John has spoken with a Selectman about our communication efforts and will follow-up at a later date. Each of them will act as the contact person for the municipal officers in their town. This will encourage communication between the organizations. We will report out again at our next meeting on these efforts.

**Review of Informal Social/Coffee in Each Town:**

The Pownal Social went well with several residents in attendance. The time provided an opportunity to answer questions, hear concerns and feedback on what's going well this year. No adjustments will be made for the next Social scheduled for Durham on November 3, 2010. Jane Blais extended an invitation to Durham's Selectmen and they appreciated the opportunity.

**Strategic Framework Report Out:**

There was a lengthy planning session about how to report out on the strategic framework in the Spring. Nothing's been finalized and we will continue this planning at our next meeting.

Next Meeting: November 1, 2010

Press release recommended? Not at this time

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