POST-SEWER HARDSCAPE IMPROVEMENT TASK FORCE CHARGE

A Post-Sewer Hardscape Improvement Task Force is hereby charged to coordinate the design considerations in future street improvements projects in order to address Town goals within planned sewered areas of Orleans.

Road reconstruction projects are necessary to maintain and improve quality of life for residents, and they have the potential to positively impact other associated interests of the Town. It is the intention that this task force will coordinate streetscape investments into street and sidewalk planning. The Task Force will convene on an as-needed basis, as public projects are initiated by the Town.

The Post-Sewer Hardscape Improvement Task Force shall be comprised of eight (8) members appointed by their respective agencies:

- one member of the Select Board,
- one member of the Planning Board,
- one member of the Bike & Pedestrian Committee,
- one member of the Recreation Committee,
- one member of the Historical Commission,
- one member of the Orleans Cultural District Committee
- one resident who is a member of the Orleans Improvement Association, and
- one resident appointed by the Chamber of Commerce.
- The Director of the Department of Public Works (ex officio)
- The Director of Planning & Community Development (ex officio)

Within its charge, the committee shall report to the Select Board and make recommendations on improvement projects. Specific Objectives:

1. Share the goals of each agency and any projects that are being planned.
2. Discuss and recommend ways to incorporate streetscape improvements into future projects.
3. Review specific road improvement projects during design phase.
4. Coordinate elements of the Village Center Streetscape Plan, Wayfinding Plan, Complete Streets, and other Town plans into the design.
5. Report task force recommendations to the Select Board.

This charge is for reconstruction projects and major improvements, but not repairs, simple resurfacing, or routine roadway maintenance. The initial project for Task Force review will be planned reconstruction along Old Colony Way.

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