2016 Comprehensive Plan Update

Comments received from the public at the Celebrate West Greenwich Day on Sunday, September 27, 2015. We had 4 questions posted on easels and poster board for people to write down their responses.

1. What is your favorite thing about West Greenwich?
   - Nature/hiking trails
   - Undeveloped land
   - You can see the stars
   - Dan’s Place
   - W. Alton Jones Campus
   - W. Alton Jones Environmental Education Center
   - The People

2. How would you like to see West Greenwich grow for the future?
   - In a well-controlled manner that preserves the rural nature of the Town
   - No large housing developments
   - Cluster development and industry (well planned)
   - Farmers’ Market with local wares
   - Minimum of 5 acre lots
   - Transfer Swap at the Transfer Station
   - Coupon money large items for Dump/ included in Biannual fee
   - More programs

3. What is our Town missing that you would like to have here?
   - A not-for-profit (not means tested) CCRC= Continuing Care Retirement Community
   - Senior housing (apartments)
   - Local Grocery- not a big chain, but we definitely need a grocery store.
   - A grocery store that has delivery!
   - A Parks and Recreation Department – Summer programs outside for kids

4. What is important to you about West Greenwich?
   - Natural areas left as is
   - More natural areas
   - Far fewer natural areas!
   - No clean, efficient energy!
   - Less Civic Involvement- Just think about your own backyard-that’s all!

Planning Board review of these comments: