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To: Honorable Select Board
From: Planning Board
Re: Master Plan Survey for Town Boards/Committees/Depts.
Date: August 28, 2023

Over the course of the last several weeks, a document titled Chilmark Master Plan 2023 Update, including 4 survey questions, was developed by the Planning Board Subcommittee with the plan to gather important and specific input, using the document, from the Boards, Committees and Depts. in Town government. This survey is the first step in a renewed Town Master Plan development initiative.

The document explains the background of a Town Master Plan and the goals of the Planning Board in developing an updated Plan. The data and information gathered through this survey will inform the development of a wider survey planned to be given to the public in the future. This next step will be part of a Town visioning process and will provide the necessary input for a completed Master Plan.

The Subcommittee has worked with representatives of the MV Commission to refine the survey, and the Planning Board approved the survey at their regular meeting on Monday, August 28th, 2023.

Planning Board members look forward to attending the Tuesday, Sept. 5th meeting of the Select Board to answer questions about the survey and to address the overall Master Plan process.

Thank you for your consideration of this document.

Chilmark Planning Board

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