Town of Sudbury

Community Preservation Committee

Annual Reporting Form

Name of Project including year of Town Meeting and Article Number: Indigenous Cultural Landscape Study 2023 May Town Meeting, Article 51

Date of Report: November 13, 2024

Date of Town Meeting Approval: <u>May 2, 2023</u>

Project Proponent: Kathryn J. McGrath

Recipient of CPC Funds: Sudbury Historical Commission

Name of Person Completing Form: William S. Andreas

Description of Project:

Archaeological below-ground resources and Indigenous cultural landscapes have had very limited study in Sudbury. The Indigenous Cultural Landscape Study will provide Sudbury with the identification of and planning tools necessary to protect and manage these resources.

Total Project Budget through CPC.\$35,000

Total Spent in FY 23 : \$0

Total Spent in prior fiscal years: ^{\$0}

Balance Remaining: <u>\$35,000</u>

Is the project completed? Yes_____ No _X_____

Description of status of the project:

RFQ written and issued to engage an archaeological/culturakl resource management firm to conduct the study. No firm responded to the request, Dscussion with several firms who requested the RFQ but did not respond indicated that every firm was swamped with this type of study and that we should wait a few years for the backlog to clear and re-issue a slightly scaled down RFQ.

Project results, including any changes since Town

Meeting: Waiting to re-issue RFQ at a time when archaeological/cultural resource management firms indicate they can respond.

Description of other pertinent information: