APPROVED:

CERTIFICATE OF HIGHWAY MILEAGE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 10, 2012

Fill out form, make and file copy with the Town Clerk, and mail ORIGINAL, before February 20, 2012 to: Vermont Agency of Transportation, Division of Policy, Planning and Intermodal Development, One National Life Drive, Montpelier, VT 05633.

We, the members of the legislative body of NEW HAVEN

in ADDISON

County

on an oath state that the mileage of highways, according to Vermont Statutes Annotated, Title 19, Section 305, added 1985, is as follows:

Town Highways	Previous Mileage	Added Mileage	Subtracted Mileage	Total	Scenic Highways
Class 1	0.000		.,		0.000
Class 2	17.670				0.000
Class 3	31.78				0.000
State Highway	14.886		İ	·	0.000
Total	64.336				0.000
* Class 1 Lane	0.000				0.000
* Class 4	0.26		0.25	0.01	
* Legal Trail	0.87	0.25		1.12	
* Unidentified Corridor	0.00				

* Mileage for Class 1 Lane, Class 4, Legal Trail, and Unidentified Corridor classifications are NOT included in total.

PART II - INFORMATION AND DESCRIPTION OF CHANGES SHOWN ABOVE.

- 1. NEW HIGHWAYS: Please attach Selectmen's "Certificate of Completion and Opening".
- 2. DISCONTINUED: Please attach SIGNED copy of proceedings (minutes of meeting).

3. RECLASSIFIED/REMEASURED: Please attach SIGNED copy of proceedings (minutes of meeting). Findings, Decision and Order 5 April 2001

4. SCENIC HIGHWAYS: Please attach a copy of order designating/discontinuing Scenic Highways.

IF THERE ARE NO CHANGES IN MILEAGE	: Check box and sign below	w. []						
PART III - SIGNATURES - PLEASE SIGN	v.							
Selectmen/ Aldermen/ Trustees Signatures:	Karphleen IB	mets						
	Kathley W	rade						
△	Hamela a Me	us V	,					
T/C/V Clerk Signature: Tamela Kingman	- Roger Boise	Date Filed:	Feb. 7,2012					
Please sign ORIGINAL and return it for Transportation signature.								
AGENCY OF TRANSPORTATION APPRO	OVAL: Signed copy wil	l be returned t	o T/C/V Clerk.					
APPROVED:		DATE:	6/25/2012					

Representative, Agency of Transportation

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Policy, Planning & Intermodal Development Division

Vermont Statutes Annotated

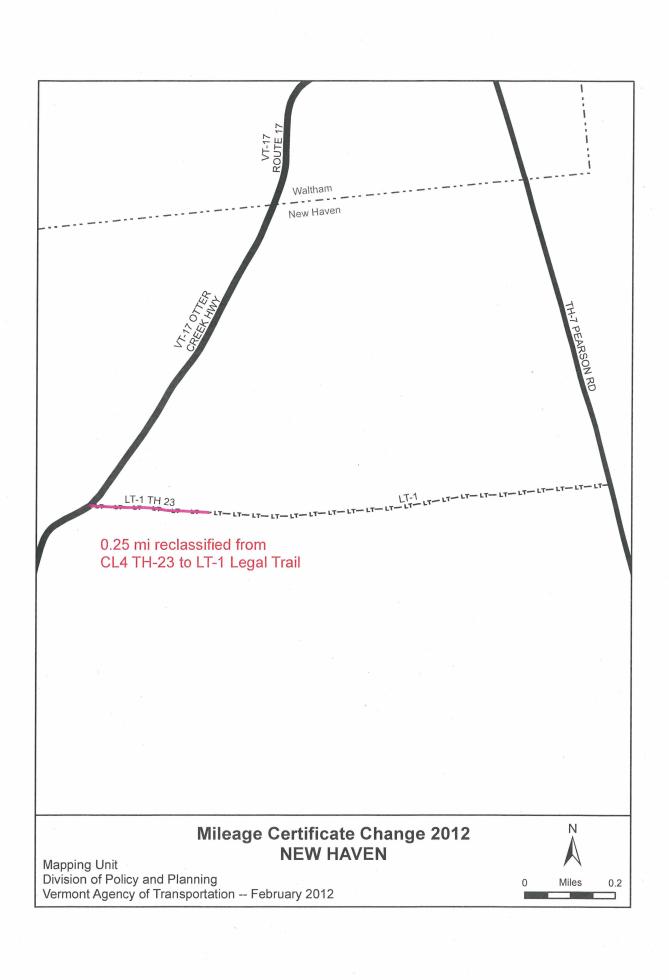
19 V.S.A. § 305. Measurement and inspection

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- (a) After reasonable notice to the selectboard, a representative of the agency may measure and inspect the class 1, 2, and 3 town highways in each town to verify the accuracy of the records on file with the agency. Upon request, the selectboard or their designee shall be permitted to accompany the representative of the agency during the measurement and inspection. The agency shall notify the town when any highway, or portion of a highway, does not meet the standards for its assigned class. If the town fails, within one year, to restore the highway or portion of the highway to the accepted standard, or to reclassify, or to discontinue, or develop an acceptable schedule for restoring to the accepted standards, the agency for purposes of apportionment under section 306 of this title shall deduct the affected mileage from that assigned to the town for the particular class of the road in question.
- (b) Annually, on or before February 10, the selectboard shall file with the town clerk a sworn statement of the description and measurements of all class 1, 2, 3, and 4 town highways and trails then in existence, including any special designation such as a throughway or scenic highway. When class 1, 2, 3, or 4 town highways, trails, or unidentified corridors are accepted, discontinued, or reclassified, a copy of the proceedings shall be filed in the town clerk's office and a copy shall be forwarded to the agency.
- (c) All class 1, 2, 3, and 4 town highways and trails shall appear on the town highway maps by July 1, 2015.
- (d) At least 45 days prior to first including a town highway or trail that is not clearly observable by physical evidence of its use as a highway or trail and that is legally established prior to February 10, 2006 in the sworn statement required under subsection (b) of this section, the legislative body of the municipality shall provide written notice and an opportunity to be heard at a duly warned meeting of the legislative body to persons owning lands through which a highway or trail passes or abuts.
- (e) The agency shall not accept any change in mileage until the records required to be filed in the town clerk's office by this section are received by the agency. A request by a municipality to the agency for a change in mileage shall include a description of the affected highway or trail, a copy of any surveys of the affected highway or trail, minutes of meetings at which the legislative body took action with respect to the changes, and a current town highway map with the requested deletions and additions sketched on it. A survey shall not be required for class 4 town highways that are legally established prior to February 10, 2006. All records filed with the agency are subject to verification in accordance with subsection (a) of this section.
- (f) The selectboard of any town who are aggrieved by a finding of the agency concerning the measurement, description or classification of a town highway may appeal to the transportation board by filing a notice of appeal with the executive secretary of the transportation board.
- (g) The agency shall provide each town with a map of all of the highways in that town together with the mileage of each class 1, 2, 3, and 4 highway, as well as each trail, and such other information as the agency deems appropriate.

Excerpt of 19 V.S.A. § 305 - Measurement and inspection from Vermont Statutes Online located at – http://www.leg.state.vt.us/statutes/fullsection.cfm?Title=19&Chapter=003&Section=00305

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February 8, 2012

Reference: 2012 Certificate of Highway Mileage

Town of New Haven

Dear Ms. Moulton:

Enclosed is our signed Certificate of Highway Mileage for 2012. Please revise your town highway information for the Town of New Haven regarding Town Highway 23. TH23 extends from Route 17 on the western end to Pearson Road on the eastern end. When we corrected this information on last year's certificate, we neglected to change the status of the entire road to a Legal Trail, and left the western end (1320 lineal feet) as a Class 4 highway. Please note in the attached documentation that the change from Class 4 highway to Legal Trail was made for the entire length of the highway.

If there's anything further we need to do or other information we need to submit, please let us know.

Sincerely,

Katie Reilley Highway Staff

cc: Roger Boise, Road Commissioner Pam Kingman, Town Clerk

FINDINGS, DECISION AND ORDER

A hearing on a proposed discontinuance of Town Highway 23 lying between Pearson Road (Town Highway 7) and Route 17 initiated by the Selectmen of the Town of New Haven pursuant to 19 V.S.A. §708 was held on January 25, 2001, by the Selectmen of the Town of New Haven. A site visit was held at 11:00 A.M. for the purpose of examining and inspecting the town road in question, and a hearing was held at 7:00 P.M. at the Town Offices for the purposes of receiving testimony from persons having an interest in this matter. Notice of the times and date of the hearing was given as required by 19 V.S.A. §709. Personal notice by certified mail, return receipt requested, was given to all persons owning or interested in lands through which Town Highway 23 passes or abuts, and a list of the persons so notified is attached hereto as Exhibit A. Notice was also given to the State of Vermont Commissioner of Forests, Parks and Recreation as required by 19 V.S.A. §775. The hearing held on January 25, 2001, was continued to March 1, 2001, (a site visit at 2:00 P.M. and a hearing at 7:00 P.M.) and notice was provided to those who had previously received notice.

Based upon the evidence received and the examination of the site, the Selectmen of the Town of New Haven make the following findings:

- The original survey for Town Highway 23 may be found at Town Record Book 1
 Page 47.
 - 2. Town Highway 23 is currently a Class 4 town highway.
- 3. Town Highway 23 has not been maintained for over 20 years and is not required to provide access to any individual property owner.
 - 4. Town Highway 23 is not passable by an ordinary motor vehicle.
 - 5. Town Highway 23 does provide significant public access for uses such as

snowmobile trails, horseback riding trials, hiking and other recreational uses.

- 6. Given the use and condition of Town Highway 23 between Pearson Road (Town Highway 7) and Route 17, it is in the public good to reclassify the status of Town Highway 23 between Pearson Road (Town Highway 7) and Route 17 from a Class 4 town highway to a trail.
- 7. A trail is a public right of way which is not a highway. It is in the public interest for Town Highway 23 between Pearson Road (Town Highway 7) and Route 17 to have the status of a trail as a public resource.
- 8. It is the finding of the Selectmen of the Town of New Haven that the public good, necessity and convenience of the inhabitants of the Town of New Haven require that the status of Town Highway 23 between Pearson Road (Town Highway 7) and Route 17 be reclassified from a Class 4 town highway to a trail.

ORDER

Town Highway 23 between Pearson Road (Town Highway 7) and Route 17 is reclassified from a Class 4 town highway to a trail.

DATED at New Haven, Vermont, this 5th day of April, 2001.

SELECTMEN OF THE TOWN OF NEW HAVEN

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Burt Allen, Selectman

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