

It is hoped the VAS can remain at Hinesburg site for the long term, or if the viewing at the site becomes too degraded or unsafe, that the VAS and Town of Hinesburg can work together to locate a suitable site for the VAS to relocate.

It has always been a wish for the VAS to find a permanent location, to develop as the VAS grows and needs of the members change over time.

As president, it is my goal to work to locate a permanent site, hopefully in Hinesburg.

Enhancements to the Green Mountain
Observatory site

Addition to the north end of the
observatory for storage

Warming/sleepover building - could be a
used donated mobile home or RV

Additional observatory to bring back the
Tri-Schief

New domed observatory donated by
Dr. Russel Patterson of Hinesburg

Assumptions:

Agreement with the Town of Hinesburg will remain long into the future

None of the buildings erected by the VAS will be permanent, can be unassembled and removed

VAS will be notified of any development around the GMO site

VAS will have input to any lighting installed around the GMO site to prevent glare or excessive lighting, to maintain the dark sky for observations

VAS will provide the Town of Hinesburg schools, library and residents with Night Sky viewing events















