February 21st 2019 Winchester Conservation Commission Meeting Minutes

Present: Gus Ruth, Bonnie Leveille, Norm Sims, Jon Baldvins, Paul Hubner, Joe Faloretti, Mim Johnson, Ken Cole.

Meeting was called to order at 7:01PM. Mim made a motion to have all alternates as regular members for the meeting. Paul seconded. Motion passed.

February 5th and January 17th minutes were reviewed. Norm made a motion to accept the minutes as read. Joe seconded. Motion passed.

Cranberry bog Culvert

A discussion was held on the plan for the Cranberry bog culvert. Norm discussed the down stream construction related to the water flow, excavation, any loss of trees and the impact on the flow of downstream water. Norm had met with Margaret. The plans will be adjusted.

During construction trucks and emergency vehicles will have to use Burt Hill.

The WCC will be reimbursed for expenses of monitoring. The WCC feels that they should hire someone to do the monitoring with WCC assisting as well.

The WCC will request of Cheryl from DES how they determine what will be considered "high" and "low" levels as that is so subjective.

WCC signs

Many signs needed to be repaired or replaced. The WCC felt the signs should be brown and gold which indicates public use.

Mim made a motion for Gus to approach Ben and see what his intentions are as Treasurer and BOS representative. Joe seconded. Motion passed. Mim is still willing to be Treasurer if Ben is unable to continue.

Motion to adjourn at 7:45PM

Submitted by:

Bonnie Leveille, Secretary

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