Meeting: Antrim Conservation Commission, January 27, 2016 at 530 pm at the Town Hall.

Attendees: Peter Beblowski'16', Ron Cheetham '17'Linda Bryer '18' and Frank Gorga '18'

Absent: Rod Zwirner '16' and Keith Wolsiefer'17',

1. December 2015 meeting notes were not completed.

- 2. Campbell Pond Phase II Natural Resource Inventory (NRI) still partially complete. We are awaiting additional word from Jeff Littleton HWA has been knocked back but still visible on west side of pond.
- 3. Annual Report Time anything to add? not at this time.
- **4.** Our Next Hike to Meadow Marsh on January 31, 2016 meet at Craig Rd at 2pm.
- 5. Emerald Ash Borer discussed Updates New site found in Salem and Weare... Hillsborough County has been placed in Federal quarantine. More info may be found at www.NHBUGS.org Emerald Ash Borer (EAB) is a non-native insect, EAB lacks predators to keep it in check. Infested trees die within 3 to 5 years. EAB only attacks ash trees, and is responsible for the death of millions of ash trees in the midwest. Help protect New Hampshire's ash trees. A quarantine of all hardwood firewood, ash wood-products and all ash nursery stock is in effect for Merrimack County.
- **6.** Frank G gave a great show of his dragonfly photographs on January 7 at 7pm at the Audubon McClane Center in Concord.
- **7.** Tentative Request for Platt Easement participation by Stacy Gambrel of the Monadnock Conservancy was withdrawn. Additional funding was found elsewhere for this easement.
- **8.** Conservation Fund presently at \$26,800.

9. Wetland Permits-

Elizabeth Landis 100 Gregg Lake Rd Map 101/ Lot 20 issued 11/19/15 Steve Crowell Map 227, Lot 22 Old Pound Road Wetlands Permit / For Forestry Notification

10. Intents to Cut-

15-017- 23 Crowell 2 Map 234, Lot 016 Holt Hill Road (50 of 59 acres)

- 1. Harris Center http://www.harriscenter.org/Programs/programs.htm
- 2. Monadnock Conservancy: http://www.monadnockconservancy.org

Next Meeting: Scheduled for Wednesday, February 24, 2016 at 530 pm in the Town Hall.