Minutes of the Ashburnham Conservation Commission June 27, 2014

(The meeting was held on Friday at 9 AM in the Town Hall Parking Area)

Present: MD: Marshall Dennis

Absent: None

AA Alana Archangelo CP Christopher Picone AH Andrew Henderson (arrived at 9:10)

9:01 AM:

MD opened the meeting of the Ashburnham Conservation Commission under the MA Wetland Protection Act, M.G.L. Chapter 131, Section 40, and in accordance with the Ashburnham Wetlands Protection Bylaw and associated Rules and Regulations.

9:02 AM

Request For Determination of Appicability, near Ferin Rd. & Broadhurst Point

Filed by Scott McCusack, for a shed, removable dock and minor clearing for a path to the lake. The shed will be built on sona tubes with only a corner within the Buffer Zone, the path will not be filled with any material.

MD moved to close the hearing.

CP seconded the motion.

Voted 3-0, unanimously, with AH not present.

MD moved to issue a Negative Determination #2. CP seconded the motion. Voted 3-0, unanimously, with AH not present.

Other Business

Certificate of Compliance

122 Byfield Road, the work was for a replacement of the septic system, MD visited the site and reported that the grass was about 6 inches high and fine.

MD moved to issue a Certificate of Compliance for 122 Byfield Rd.. CP seconded the motion. Voted 4-0, unanimously, with AH present.

<u>Bush Hill</u>

On Monday June 23rd, Valcourt & Valcourt were selected to be the Foresters for the Bush Hill Cutting Plan. (this did not include work on the Management Plan or Stewardship Plan)

<u>J.R. Briggs Elementary School</u> MD provided an update to the Commission on the progress of the site stabilization.

Winnekeag Dam

MD updated the Commission on the dam, Munsco the Dam owner will get a letter/contact from the Commission or the Town Administrators Office.

MD also had an update for the Commission on available information concerning the proposed gas pipeline.

9:45 AM

MD moved to adjourn the meeting. CP seconded. Approved 4-0, unanimously.

Respectfully submitted by Richard Turcotte, Conservation Agent