## **BROOKFIELD CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

## Minutes of October 2, 2013 meeting

Present: Tom Giguere, Tom Hill, John Nelson, Richard Peckham, George Yeager-Alternate, Bill Nelson-Selectman Representative

- 1. Meeting called to order at 6:07 PM
- 2. There were no public comments.
- 3. Minutes of the September 4, 2013 meeting were reviewed. Motion to accept by Richard Peckham seconded by Tom Giguere. Motion passed.
- 4. Mail: Statement from Meredith Saving for the Conservation Fund reported a balance of \$2586.20.
- 5. Old Business: Tom Hill gave a report on the Trails Rails Action Committee. The trail from Turntable Park in Wakefield to Route 16 is completed and open for use.
- 6. New Business: MMRG is coordinating a joint conservation commission meeting including 7 local towns on November 7<sup>th</sup>. After a discussion, Tom Hill made a motion that the Brookfield CC replace the usual November 6<sup>th</sup> meeting with attendance at this joint gathering. The motion was seconded by Richard Peckham and passed by committee vote. Tom Giguere will post the meeting change. CC members will meet at the Brookfield Town offices at 6 PM on Nov. 7<sup>th</sup> and car pool to the Middleton Town Hall for the meeting. Topics for the upcoming town newsletter were considered. After discussion, Tom Giguere made a motion that the CC submit to the selectmen a 2014 budget request for \$300 (\$100 MMRG dues and \$200 for Workshops/meetings). Seconded by Richard Peckham. Motion passed.
- 7. Selectman's report: State RSAs are no longer available in book form, but are online. The CC should contact the Selectmen for a password if we need wireless internet access at the Town Office. The CC decided not at this time.
- 8. Planning Board: Richard Peckham reported that the Moose Mountain Recreation LLC had approached the planning board about the possibility of subdividing some of its holdings for a private residence. No official request was made.
- 9. Other Business: Richard Peckham reported that the state DOT has included in its planning a new exit on Route 16. Proposed Exit 10 would be just south of the toll booths at the south side of Rochester. On October 20<sup>th</sup> there will be an open house at the historic RR station in Union.
- 10. Next meeting will be on November 7, 2013
- 11. Meeting closed at 7:03 PM

Respectfully Submitted\_\_\_\_\_\_

Thomas Hill