

Charlestown Conservation Commission meeting 20 Jul 15

Members Present: Jim Fowler, Dick Holmes, Steve Dumont, Dick Lincourt

Called to order 7:04 PM by Steve Dumont chair

Minutes of 15 Jun 15 approved as amended

- 1) Nature Trail Bridge – Jim Fowler and Dick Holmes put non-skid strips on the bridge. Bridge does need some repair – discussion – decided the ConCom members will visit the bridge Sunday the 26<sup>th</sup> at 9 AM to assess repairs.
- 2) Trail Monitoring – Brenda Ferland posted an email saying that the police chief said that cameras could be used in court. Discussion. Steve Dumont will research cameras and costs.
- 3) Correspondence – Steve Dumont reviewed correspondence received since last meeting including:
  - a) Email from state forester saying they will be starting work on the state forest at East Street extension on 20 July, to last for four or five days. At the conclusion of the work they will install a gate across the access road. We will get a key.
  - b) NHACC next conference will be 7 Nov.
  - c) letter from ConComs of southern N.H. towns protesting the Northeast Energy Direct Natural Gas pipe-line asking for our signatures.
  - d) Renewal notice for Adopt-a-highway. Motion made and passed to renew.
- 4) Bay State Forestry - no news on our forests management plans. Steve Dumont said the forms were sent to them. He will check on progress.

Adjourned: 7:44 PM.

Minutes submitted by Jim Fowler secretary

Minutes accepted by Steve Dumont chair

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Steve Dumont

date