Derry Conservation Commission 14 Manning St. Derry NH 03038

Minutes of Public Meeting May 23, 2011

On May 23 at 7:30 the Derry Conservation Commission met in the NH Room of the Derry Municipal Center. The following members were present: Jim Arruda, Jim Degnan, Peg Kinsella, Margaret Ives, Beverly Ferrante, Marianne Page, Richard Tripp, Dennis Wiley, and Neil Wetherbee. Marianne Page sat for Paul Doolittle, Peg Kinsella sat for Paul Dionne, and Jim Degnan sat for Ric Buzzanga.

A motion was made by Dennis Wiley, seconded by Peg Kinsella to accept the corrected minutes of May 9, 2011. Marianne Page, Jim Arruda, and Peg Kinsella abstained, motion carried.

Chair's Report:

New member: Margie welcomed the new alternate Jim Degnan to the Commission.

Summer Intern:

Ian Gaudreau introduced.

DES:

Wetland Complaint - 11 Grove Street (030/235) per RSA 483-B,

Comprehensive Shoreland Protection Act, removed trees within buffer zone.

Correspondence: Water Supply Land Protection – Grant funds now available per wetland mitigation funds available due to widening of I-93 between Massachuesetts border and Manchester.

South East Land Trust – will hold annual meeting on June 4th at Scanlon Farm in Stratham.

Site Reviews:

7 Ashleigh Drive – Luke Hurley and Chris Tymula of Gove Environmental Services (GES) presented for Yvon Cormier Construction Corporation. Total wetland impact is 8,550 square feet with 3,300 where a box culvert will be placed and 5,250 where an equalizer culvert will be placed. A 546 foot long road will provide access to the buildable land at the rear of the site. Trees will be cleared but not stumped to provide visibility of commercial site. DCC questioned length of culvert and necessity of stumping. Separate site plan to planning board will address storm water management. Site walk scheduled for Wednesday, June 1st at 6 PM. GES to determine if an aquifer exists in the area.

Bartlett Road (Tax Map/Lot 4/84) – Tim Lavelle of James Lavelle Associates presented on a proposed eleven (11) lot development abutting Island Pond Road. Two wetlands crossings are anticipated. Dredge and fill request has not been submitted to DES yet. Site walk scheduled for Wednesday, June 8th at 6 PM.

Conservation Activity:

Weber Forest – update on debris and ATV abuse. Need to educate public about permitted use in this area. Broadview Farm – Suggestion made to replace fence and to add boulders in front of the fence. DCC approved idea. Handicap garden accessibility is an issue. Path needs to be cleared.

Go Green – last nature walk at BF was great. Next scheduled is Cole Marsh (Damren Road) on June 18 at 8 AM.

Adjournment:

Motion by Dennis Wiley, second by Beverly Ferrante, to adjourn. None abstained, all others approved, motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 8:45 PM.