

**Town of Frankestown  
Conservation Commission**

APPROVED MINUTES

March 3, 2008

A regular meeting of the Conservation Commission was held in the Town Offices on Monday, March 3, 2007 and called to order at 7:40 p.m.

Conservation Commission members in attendance: Carbee, Crooker, Freese, Hardwick, Lindgren, Reimer, Shuffleton. Secretary Lindgren took the minutes.

The proposed minutes of the 2/4/08 meeting were approved with one modification.

**Old Business**

1. The full moon snowshoe hike held last Saturday night was quite successful, with 12 adventurous attendees.
2. Chair Hardwick will meet with Gerri Bernstein and others regarding the next programs in the Joan Hanchett Nature Series. Ideas include a beaver presentation (Matt Tarr did one recently in Hancock); a Pond Life live presentation perhaps in Aug-Sept with nets, buckets and microscopes; and a Winter Wildlife and/or Winter Survival program next winter.
3. The Commission discussed the proposals for consideration at the 2008 Town Meeting. Various maps will be displayed for peoples' interests.
4. The annual stewardship monitoring reports for the LCHIP properties are being finalized for submission.
5. Several projects were proposed for the first landing in the Town Forest: fertilization of the apple trees, and new protective fencing on certain of the more mature trees.

**New Business**

6. Planned Earth Day Events on Saturday, May 3 include: a clean-up event, leaving from the Town Hall, where refreshments will be served. FLT will plan to offer their support. A table could be set up with various conservation publications and miscellany. A contest to find the most unusual piece of garbage discarded by the roadside will be included again this year.
7. Shuffleton moved to adjourn at 9:30. Lindgren seconded the motion. All in favor.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Bob Lindgren, Secretary