

Hanover Conservation Commission Minutes Hanover Town Hall, July 8, 2015

In Attendance: Ed Chamberlain, John Trummel, Doug McIlroy, Hugh Mellert, Bill Mlacak, Vicki Smith

Approval of Minutes

- Ken Milky name misspelled: Should be Ken Milkie
- Approval of Harjes Site Visit Minutes
- Minutes approved as amended

Current Business

*** Harjes Application**

Discussion of location of septic system. Determined that there was not a better location for the septic system. Motion made by John T. to approve location, seconded by Ed C.

Motion passed with 4 yeas and one abstention.

*** Starkey Application**

Discussion of tree cutting on Town Land adjacent to Starkey Property. Motion made by Ed C. to approve cutting plan, seconded by Hugh M. with the following wording change: "must lie flat and may chip".

Motion passed with 5 yeas.

Resource Stewardship

*** Wilson's Landing Improvements**

Phase 2 application is ready to submit. Benches and tables have been purchased and will be delivered to Ed C.'s barn for staining and delivery to the site.

*** Marshall / Pressey Brook**

Gate donated by Ken Milkie and will be installed by Mr. Milkie

*** Hayes Farm Park**

Field Day/Walk About was a big success with over 30 people in attendance. Trails Comm. to review 4 trails that need improvement. July 20 will be "Work Day" with Jerry Hawks and other volunteers.

* Deer Management

Balch Hill Project needs to move forward soon to get project outline before deer season. Need for baiting sites to be identified with help of Ryan Johnson.

Trescott Land deer management needs to be developed by Trescott Company. Town Road Crew to identify baiting sites. Ed C. will talk to Julia G. regarding Trescott Plan.

Administrative Business

John T. is August minute taker

Jim K. is Sept. minute taker

General discussion of Storrs' Farm value and subdivision and zoning issues. Ed C. to talk with Storrs' Family to get their thoughts on the project.

General discussion of Budget year and how we can spend conservation fund.

Committee Reports

* Trails Committee

Did not meet. No report.

General discussion of trail and trail projects including:

Signage delivery and installation

Moose Mountain Ridge Trail

Paul Gagnon involvement and possible site visit.

Balch Hill Trail Improvement

Meeting adjourned 9:00pm

Submitted by:

Hugh Mellert

Commission Member