

Jaffrey Conservation Commission Draft Minutes

June 27, 2012

Present: Michael George, Chairman

Nora Barton Bryant

Nancy Beiter

Carolyn Garretson

Patricia Weiner

Don MacIsaac, Selectboard Representative

Herb Gramm, Guest

Absent: Bill Graf, Ron Rogstad, Alternate

The meeting was called to order at 7:04 PM. The minutes of the last meeting were accepted.

I. Budget and Mail Review - CG reviewed the budget as well as incoming mail. Expenses for the completed and installed kiosks in Children's Woods and the Cheshire Pond Conservation area have been paid in full.

II. Brenda Bhatti made a presentation to offer her new service which involves assistance to clients for researching, writing and presenting grants.

III. Ongoing Items

A. The Con Com Bear program is scheduled for August 14, 7PM at the Women's Club building. The lecturer is Ben Kilham. NB and NBB will be responsible for posters and fliers and CG will contact the newspapers.

B. Shattuck Fundraiser - Con Com will send thank you notes to contributors from Jaffrey. MG will obtain the necessary information to do so from the Monadnock Conservancy.

C The Gray Goose survey for this year has not been completed. MG and BG will complete the project.

D. Sponsor donation for Camp Wildwood has been sent to the camp.

E. Riverfest - CG and NB will bring examples of invasive species for display. The NRI base map and wildlife map will be on display. PW will prepare educational material related to signs posted in conservation, nature and recreational areas. CG will bring a table and NBB will bring the banner.

IV. New items

HG advised that the bog bridge on Sandy Lane, built by the Boy Scouts, has at times been vandalized. There is also a trash problem as well as the building of fires in the area. The organization has started placing flyers on cars to warn against parking after dusk, carrying trash out of the area, etc.... This has helped a little.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:35PM. The next meeting will be held July 25, at the Town Offices.

Respectfully submitted,

Patricia Weiner