

# **Jaffrey Conservation Commission Draft Minutes**

## **May 22, 2013**

Present: Carolyn Garretson, Chair Person

Barbara Alix

Kevin Alix

Nora Barton Bryant

Michael George

Patricia Weiner, Alternate

Don MacIsaac, Select Board Representative

Absent: Nan Beiter

Karen Morris, Alternate

The meeting was called to order at 7PM. PW was appointed scribe. Minutes were not notated for the last meeting as a quorum had not been in attendance.

I. The financial review was done by CG with little change. There is \$300 more available from the Town line to use if needed.

II. The Contoocook Local River Advisory Committee has requested Jaffrey Con Com send a representative to its meetings. KA will call to find out exactly what is involved.

III. Saving Special Places report - no member had been able to attend.

IV. Whittemore Island visit in June - This would be an observation, not a monitoring visit. CG suggested that Con Com observe plant life, possible Loon nestings, etc..... Several members agreed to go.

V. Cleanup of Children's Woods - MG will walk through and determine what has to be done at this point. He will report back to the Commission.

VI. Map of Childen's Woods - MG will print copies for Riverfest.

VII. Educational Program - June 27<sup>th</sup> 7PM at the Women's Club - Steve Roberge will present a one hour slide show entitled "Birds, Bats and Butterflies". Motion was made , seconded and approved to use funds to advertise the session in the newspapers. Posters and fliers will be distributed to further publicize the program.

VIII. Map of Cheshire Pond Conservation Area is in progress - NB and MG will continue to fine tune the map and the trail.

IX. Riverfest - Riverfest is July 27<sup>th</sup>. PW will confirm assigned area request with TEAM Jaffrey. MG will make sure to supply tent. CG will supply a table and invasive plants samples. NBB will bring the literature and banner. KA and BA will try to create a frame and stand to hold some of the NRI maps.

X. New Business -CG reminded those members whose terms were recently renewed and who had not signed a new pledge to see Maria C. to do so.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:15PM. The next meeting will be held Wed. June 26, 2013 at the Town Offices.

Respectfully submitted,

Patricia Weiner