

Londonderry Conservation Commission Tuesday, June 14, 2016 Minutes

Present: Marge Badois, Chair; Deb Lievens, Member; Roger Fillio, Member Mike Noone, Member; Mike Byerly, Member; Julie Christenson-Collins, Alternate Member; Mike Speltz, Alternate Member

Absent: Gene Harrington, Vice Chair; Jamie Mantini, Member; Margaret Harrington, Alternate Member

Meeting was called to order at 7:34 pm

M Badois appointed Julie Christenson-Collins to vote for Jamie Mantini, and Mike Speltz to vote for Gene Harrington .

Old Business:

Monitoring: M Noone will be sending out letters to easement violators along the Cooper parcel. He will have the letters reviewed by Richard Canuel prior to sending to homeowner.

Newsletter: M Byerly sent out a draft of newsletter and will be sending out the final version this week. There are 142 subscribers. J Christenson-Collins suggested sending out invitations to subscribe to abutters of conservation properties.

Public walk: The next public walk will be on the Ingersol property on Sunday, June 26 at 2:00. M Byerly will select the route.

Feasibility Study Proposal: M Badois mentioned that G Harrington suggested that we only contract for a couple properties and not include the landscape architect. He also mentioned that some development was suggested in the recreation plan. M Speltz suggested that we request a breakdown of costs for each property. There was a discussion of possible parking areas. M Noone made a motion that we engage Stantec to develop a plan for 4 properties; Musquash, Kendall Pond, Scobie Pond and Cohas, to request that costs be broken down in detail for each property, that we do not wish to engage the services of the landscape architect. M Speltz seconded. Motion passed 7-0-0

M Badois mentioned that the turtle signs are up on Hall. Still none on South Road.

D Lievens made a motion to reimburse M Considine from the line item budget for documented expenses incurred for Musquash Field Day not to exceed \$200. Motion was seconded by M Byerly. Motion passed 7-0-0

New Business:

Nevins is asking for feedback regarding cutting some "hazardous" trees. M Speltz and J Christenson-Collins will follow up.

D Lievens made a motion that M Speltz continue as the representative from the CC on the Master Plan Implementation Committee. M Noone seconded. Motion passed 7-0-0



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M Byerly stated that EverSource is willing to install gates in the Musquash to help to prevent ATV access. M Byerly will come up with specific locations for the gates.

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M Byerly suggested creating a campaign to educate property owner that abut conservation land regarding the restrictions that may exist on the properties in an effort to prevent violations. D Lievens and J Christenson-Collins will pursue.

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DRCs

- 52 Londonderry Dance Minor Site Plan Buttrick Road: No comments
- 53 Fortin Subdivision Mammoth Road: No Comments
- Reilable Equipment change of use 3 Symmes Drive: Storage shed potential negative visual impact to rail trail,
- what is being stored?
- 56 Gendron Construction Site Plan Enterprise Drive: Only 5' between buffer and south corner of construction –
- use caution. Recommend that treatment swail be removed from buffer. Recommend not using Bradford Pear.
- Recommend use of pervious pavement along buffer. Increased density of plantings recommended to screen
- 59 building from rail trail.

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Minutes -

- 62 May 10th: M Speltz made a motion to approve minutes as amended. M Noone seconded. Approved 6-0-1 D Leviens abstained.
- 64 May 24th: D Leivins made a motion to approve minutes as amended. J Christenson-Collins seconded. Approved 65 6-0-1 R Fillio abstained.
- 66 May 24 non-public: M Speltz made a motion to approve minutes as amended. M Noone seconded. Approved 67 6-0-1 R Fillio abstained.

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M Badois mentioned that Jim Butler stated at the last TC meeting that he heard that the CC cancelled a 5 year contract for the control of bittersweet in the town forest, and he felt this was unprofessional. He requested that the CC appear at the next TC meeting to explain.

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M Speltz made a motion to adjourn. D Lievens seconded. Motion passed 7-0-0

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Meeting adjourned at 9:27 pm

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Respectfully submitted,

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- 82 Marge Badois
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