

TOWN OF ORLEANS
OPEN SPACE COMMITTEE

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ORLEANS TOWN CLERK

MINUTES

Wednesday, November 2, 2011
Orleans Town Hall, Skaket Room

Attending: Alan McClennen (Chairman), and Members Steve Bornemeier, Meff Runyon, Jeff Norgeot, and Patty Crow. Also in attendance were David Dunford, representing the Orleans Selectmen, and Kris Ramsey, representing the Orleans Conservation Trust.

1. The meeting was called to order at 8:00.
2. Minutes of the Meeting of August 24, 2011 were approved.
3. Kris Ramsey described two projects of the Orleans Conservation Trust:
 - Kris described the proposed land acquisition of 10 & 18 Twinings Lane, South Orleans, MA, using CPA Funds, LAND Grant Funding, and private fundraising. Discussion ensued and a motion to support the acquisition as presented was made by Jeff Norgeot and seconded by Meff Runyon. The motion carried unanimously.
 - Kris described the proposed conservation restriction project at 38 Kenneth Lane, Mayflower Point, Orleans, MA. Discussion followed and a motion to support the project as presented was made by Meff Runyon and seconded by Steve Bornemeier. The motion carried unanimously.
4. Alan led a discussion of current activities:
 - The Putnam Farm project continues.
 - Under the leadership of John Jannell of the Conservation Commission, the greenhouses and trash have been carried away.
 - Clean-up continues, and removal of invasive species has begun.
 - A review of CPC activities and plans with the Finance Committee was conducted successfully.
 - A lot on Portanimicut Road owned by the Gilmore Family may be a potential preservation site, linkable to other conservation property.

The Meeting was adjourned at 9:00. Date of next meeting will be announced.

Respectfully submitted,

Steve Bornemeier
Acting Clerk

