

Meeting Minutes – Upton Land Stewardship Committee

September 3, 2015

Town Hall (Ground Floor Meeting Room): 7:35

Members Present: Mary Overholt, Mike Penko, Marcella Stasa, Bill Taylor

1. Whitney: Stumpy’s Tree Service hired to remove the tree from the Potheau trail easement.
2. Stefans Farm: Kiosk installation scheduled for September 5 and 12. Motion to thank Matt Overholt with a \$25 gift certificate. Seconded and approved.
3. Heritage Day (October 3): LSC will have a display table.
4. Stefans Access: met with CPC and reaction was positive. MP to develop RFQ. Access via privately owned lot underneath power line may be viable.
5. Emerald Ash Borer: a report from Hickory Lane was a false alarm, but the beetle will eventually reach Upton. Documentation of ash trees on LSC property discussed (measure and photograph larger trees?).
6. Forestry Outreach Plan: Public meeting in fall?
7. Work dates: Stefans - September 5 and 7; Whitney (sign installation) - September 19; Oak Knoll trail work - October 6; Goss Pond trail work - October 24; SWF pasture walk TBD; Whitney west trail work - November 14.
8. Signage: Motion to order “Whitney Conservation Area” and “Snow Family Conservation Area” signs from Doug’s Signs. Seconded and approved.
9. Meeting adjourned at 9:15.

Approved:

