

Minot Forest Committee
Meeting Minutes 7/17/2012
Wareham Town Hall

Present: Angela Dunham (chair), Sandra Devlin, Sandy Slavin (clerk),

Open meeting at 7:08 pm, close meeting at 7:51 pm

Prior minutes were approved:

2/9 approved 3-0-0

3/15 approved 3-0-0

3/23 approved 2-0-1

6/21 approved 3-0-0

Red pine update: *Jaime*

Angie and tom ~~ferat~~ (forest management company) marked the trees on the forest bounty with blue paint. The project has been delayed - Chris Faustino's chipper needs repaid and now the price for wood chips is low. Both chris and tom will met on the site when the work begins. The state will send someone to inspect the site when the job is completed.

Red pine death is a problem in several other sites in time - crane landing off farm to market rd and behind the minot forest school. Lends the question - where else in town?

Eagle scout project:

Story book project that was discussed last year will be handled as an eagle scout project by spencer boyer.

Minot cr:

Wareham land trust has requested copy of minot cr. We are looking for the sept version from peter with his changes - sandy has a may version. Wlt wants funds to hold this cr. Angie will look for her version and send it to the wlt. Angie to ask rick bowen is the words on the existing deed are strong enough to protect the forest from the town and developers.

Litter:

Angie will look for volunteers to clear the existing trails.

Can folks doing community service pick up the trash on the roads around minot forest.

- . Minot ave from Indian neck to school
- . Indian neck from minot ave to crooked river
- . stillman drive
- . crooked river rd from Indian neck to 1st home

Encroachment:

Appears nothing has changed since letters went out in sept 2010. Angie will contact rich bowen regarding a second letter to the home owners with encroachments into the forest - it has been two years. We to look at the site off stillman ave to see what is happening.

Trail conditions:

Continue project in the fall

Next meeting 8/9

Submitted

Sandy slavin, clerk

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8/9/12
SS Slavin*

