

Conservation Commission Meeting

October 5, 2022 Draft minutes

Meeting began 7:11pm

Attendees - Mark Mitch, Holly Green, Ross Bennet, Maegan Gagne (minute taker), Roni Hardy

1. First item mail - no mail
2. Welcome Roni Hardy and Maegan Gagne to the commission, new appointees
 - a. Additional members update (Holly) - Nisa will not be joining commission. Lindsay is not responding to emails and has not reached out. We will assume she is not interested in joining the commission. Bob missed several meetings to date; Holly will reach out to see if he is still interested. We have a full commission!
3. Sept 7, 2002 draft minutes edited by Holly reviewed by all. Motion to accept minutes as edited made by Mark Mitch, 2nd by Scott, the motion was approved unanimously by attendees (Roni abstained).
4. Monitoring town easement (lot 98 - near crushed stone pit off Route 114), we would like to get copies of the annual monitoring report to see if more than just the road is being inspected. Holly will also request copies of annual monitoring reports from each land trust for the easements in town (other than lot 98).
5. Natural resource inventory request for proposals (RFPs)
 - a. Last meeting we discussed planning to look into insurance requirements but that was not done in time for this meeting. Holly will look into insurance requirements and mapping options. We will vote in November to approve the final draft.
6. Forestry RFP
 - a. There was a quick discussion on whether to wait until after busy season (winter) before posting RFP.
 - b. We will wait to submit both RFPs at the same time in case it's an option to get the same contractor to do both.
7. Other business
 - a. Budget request is due back by 10/26
 - b. Ponds- all in clear of cyanobacteria!
8. Meeting adjourned 8:26pm