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**Town of Henniker  
Conservation Meeting  
Wednesday October 7, 2020  
Zoom**

**Members Present:** Holly Green, Mark Mitch, Ross Bennett, Sachie Howard, Tracy Sudhalter

**Recording Secretary:** Kelly McCutcheon

1. Review and approval of draft minutes for the August 7, 2019, - June 3, 2020 meetings.  
**Mark moved to approve the December 2019 minutes as amended. Ross seconded. Motion carried 3-0.**

**Mark moved to approve the August 7, 2019 minutes as amended. Holly seconded. Motion carried 3-0.**

**Mark moved to approve the October 2019 minutes as amended. Holly seconded. Motion carried 4-0.**

**Mark moved to approve the June 2020 minutes as amended. Sachie seconded. Motion carried 5-0.**

**Mark moved to approve the March 2020 minutes as amended. Sachie seconded. Motion carried 5-0.**

2. Review of Expedited Wetlands Permit from Town Highway department to replace culvert  
The permit is in for review and if the commission does not sign off on a permit there is a 10-day holding period before the State reviews the permit.

3. 2021 budget proposal  
**Special budget meeting Oct 21<sup>st</sup> 7pm just to review budget.**

4. Review of Intents to cut  
Lot1-743 – no commission concerns

5. Conservation opportunities  
There is a landlocked property the commission is interested in planning a site visit.

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### 6. Update on the French and Keyser Pond Phosphorus Mitigation

Goal is to develop a management plan to work towards a chemical treatment to prevent from recirculating into water column and circulating the cyanobacteria. Saw improvements in oxygen concentrations and appearance towards end of August in both ponds. Last year Keyser still had slime during the warming in October. The State has given the go ahead to move forward with the project.

### 7. Other business

**Sachie moved to approve the \$35 reimbursement to Holly for the December 7, 2020 online meeting of NHACC. Ross seconded. Motion carried 5-0.**

In regards to the community school's new propane tanks, all concerns are resolved with precautions to ensure to wetland impact or someone accidentally driving through the propane tanks.

OHRV Committee Ross will be the Conservation Commission representative on OHRV who met in June. At the June meeting there was a big increase in complaints and Pats Peak had to close their parking lot. Restoration work done on Chase Road was done with riprap that is terrible for walkers, hikers, bikers but great for ATVs. At this time no fall OHRV meeting has been scheduled.

**Mark moved to adjourn. Tracy seconded. Motion carried 5-0.**

**Adjourned at 8:37pm**