

Town of East Kingston Conservation Commission

Minutes of Meeting May 10, 2021 via Zoom

The CC meeting was Called to Order at 5:02 PM

Members Present: Vicki Brown, Gordon Powers and Dennis Quintal.

Member absent: Peter Gilligan, Julie Ostopchuk

The Minutes from April 12, 2021 were reviewed and approved with few minor changes.

Approved.
6-14-21


Correspondence:

1. Invoice from Jones & Beach Engineers for \$110.00 for work on the Bank Restoration Project. Approval of payment will need to come from the Conservation Fund account at Citizens Bank. The original Proposal from Jones & Beach was for \$9,200. With this latest Invoice, my records indicate the total billing to be \$9,113.90, just within budget. Motion made, 2nd and passed to pay from the Conservation Fund.
2. Letter from NHDES notice that they received the Powwow Pond Bank Restoration Standard Dredge and Fill Application as Administrative Complete. It has been added to the technical review queue for compliance review. (within 50 days)
3. Citizens Bank end of March Balance for Conservation Fund \$26,774.43. Monthly Interest was \$0.24.
4. May 4th NHACC May E-news. Various articles.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. EAB treatment for Ash Tree at cemetery by Seacoast Tree to be done during leaf out. They said perhaps late May.
2. EK Natural Resources Inventory. Gordon, Vicki and Julie have begun working on this update. Each member will take a section to review and update.
3. EK Town Forests – On April 27th, members Vicki, Julie, Gordon and Dennis met at the Parsonage Lot and conducted a site investigation and removal of some invasive plants. This work was recommended by our Forest Management Plan. Also, continued the same work at the Railroad Lot.
4. Pollinator Pathways NH – EKCC, the East Kingston Public Library and Pollinator Pathways NH will co-host “Pollinators 101” via zoom on Tuesday, June 22 at 6pm. This coincides with National Pollinator Week.
5. NHDOT Litter Pick Program conducted on Haverhill Road on May 10. We picked up 10 bags of litter.

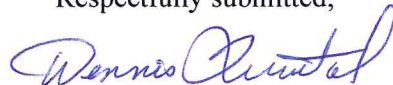
NEW BUSINESS:

1. Next edition of EK Town Newsletter – 2nd article on Invasive Plants

Next meeting of the Conservation Commission is Scheduled for

June 14, 2021 at 5:00 PM

Respectfully submitted;


Dennis G. Quintal

Time Adjourned: 5:52 PM