


Town of East Kingston Conservation Commission

Minutes of Meeting May 13, 2019

Approved:
6-17-19


The CC meeting was Called to Order at 5:00 PM

Members Present: Karen Quintal, Dennis Quintal and Peter Gilligan.

Member absent: Marilyn Bott and Vicki Brown,

The Minutes from April 8, 2019 were reviewed and approved.

Correspondence:

1. Copy of BOS Minutes from March 25, April 8 and April 11, 2019.
2. April 3: Email from County Forester, Greg Jordan and NH Community Forester with the NH Division of Forests and Lands, Cory Keefe - that they will be available to conduct the Ash Tree Survey of on May 29th.
3. April 8: Copy of "Notice of Acceptance of Permit Application" recently submitted for work on Powwow River.
4. Copy of Planning Board Agenda for the April 18th meeting.
5. April 23: Spring Issue of the Granite State Tree Farmer
6. April 29: Email from Bob Courchesne providing a copy of an announcement from DES of the 2019 Grant Round from the NH Drinking Water and Goundwater Trust Fund.
7. April 30: Letter from Norma L. Kemp stating that the ownership of the Conservation Easement on her property at 9 Deer Run ID 7-3-68 was to be transferred and a new deed created.
8. Citizens Bank end of April Balance for Conservation Fund \$18,060.20. Monthly Interest was \$0.15.
9. Notice from NH Lakes Congress regarding their Conference on May 30 & 31 in Meredith.
10. Conservation Budget end of April 2019 expenditures \$55.00.
11. May 3: Invoice from Jones & Beach Engineers for progress work on the Powwow River Bank Restoration Project. Their cost to date is \$682.00. The invoice was questioned since services were not itemized. Payment was tabled till we get a revised invoice.
12. May 7: Invoice from the Rockingham Planning Commission for services provide to support by Julie Labranche for planning and implementation of the Wetland Buffer Workshop held on May 4th. Total cost is \$404.30. Invoice was approved to pay from the Conservation Fund. It was also voted to pay Patrick Seekamp \$250.00 for his service at the Workshop. This was done in past years.
13. May 7: NHPDIP Statement for the end of April Balance of \$2,044.95. Interest received \$4.00.
14. May 7: NHDES Permit received for work on Powwow Pond.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Litter Pickup was conducted April 20th on Haverhill Road.
2. Discuss the May 4th Spring Workshop.

NEW BUSINESS:

DISCUSSION:

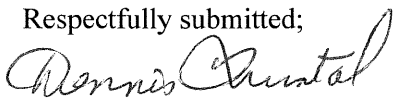
Peter brought up his concern about the vehicle repairs that are conducted at the Masone property. The concern is with auto fluids that can drain into the aquifer and be transported downstream. Shouldn't soil testing be conducted? Also railroad ties that are left along the railroad ROW have creosote and possibly arsenic that could leach into the groundwater. Dennis will bring these concerns to the Planning Board at their next meeting.

Peter also mentioned the ground issue from the Bodwell property and Sanborn Road. The Commission will monitor the reports of actions being taken by the State and Mr. Bodwell.

Next meeting of the Conservation Commission is Scheduled for

June 17, 2019 at 5:00 PM **Note change in day

Respectfully submitted;



Dennis G. Quintal

Time Adjourned: 6:15 PM