Town of East Kingston Conservation Commission

Minutes of Meeting August 12, 2019

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

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

Member absent: Marilyn Bott

The Minutes from July 12, 2019 were reviewed and approved.

Correspondence:

- 1. Report received from Aqualogic detailing the dive harvest of milfoil from the Powwow Pond. The Report tells the date, time in the water, depth of harvest and gallons of Milfoil taken. This Report justifies the Invoice that was paid last month.
- 2. Four requests for proposals were sent to licensed Pesticide Applicators for EAB treatment. There were two responses. 1. An Email from Xavier Asbridge, owner of IPM of NH. His quote for trunk injection was \$11 per inch, so for 36" tree =\$396. 2. An Email and call to meet at the site to review the tree. It came from Dan Mello of Seacoast Tree Care in Stratham. Dennis met with him at the Union Cemetery and reviewed the 36" Ash tree determined to be high value. He then emailed a Proposal of \$350 for trunk injection. This method is effective for 2 years and is most effective if done in the spring. After discussion, we decided to wait till next spring and have Mr. Mello treat this tree. We will let the Cemetery Committee and the BOS know of this proposed action.

OLD BUSINESS:

- 1. Bank Restoration Update. No news, Dennis will contact Jones & Beach for progress report.
- 2. We received a copy of proposed update to the FEMA Flood Maps for the Town.
- 3. The EK CC assisted at the Pollinators display booth at the Kingston 325th.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Litter Pickup on Haverhill Road is planned to be done on Saturday August 24th.

Next meeting of the Conservation Commission is Scheduled for September 9, 2019 at 5:00 PM

Respectfully submitted;

Time Adjourned: 5:45 PM

APPROVED.

Dennis G. Quintal