
Conservation Commission Minutes 03/30/2017

Chichester Conservation Commission Meeting

Draft of the Minutes of the Study Session, March 30, 2017

Grange Hall, Selectmen's Office

Present: Members: Bob Mann, Jim Eggers, Zack Boyajian, Frank Harrison and Marianne DiTaranto. Guests: Kim Gillis

The meeting began as members of the commission introduced themselves to Kim Gillis who was attending the meeting to learn about the projects the CCC was actively working on.

Bob Mann asked for any issues that needed to be addressed before beginning the study session on the categorizing and reporting of conservation land on the town website.

Marianne DiTaranto asked for consideration of a proposed date for the Trail Maintenance Workshop, a joint venture between the UNH Stewardship Network and the CCC to be held in Chichester. The tentative date selected by the CCC and approved by the Network is July 29, 2017. The Network would like the workshop to start at 9:00 a.m.

Frank Harrison began the study session by updating those present on his work. Frank has been entering all conservation land onto an interactive google style map and updating what is and is not allowed at each site.

Some suggestions were to: Make a list and add it to the website. Group or categorize land by uses and restrictions. Anything the town owns and the allowable uses should be listed. Easement deeds will need to be reviewed to assure correct disclosure of restrictions and uses.

The intent is to have a live active map which could list a 5 year management plan and include protection, public access and utilization as defined by the individual easements.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

The next meeting will be held in the Selectmen's Office of the Grange Hall on April 13, 2017, at 7:00 p.m. The Public is invited.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Marianne DiTaranto.

Approved: