

HILLSBOROUGH CONSERVATION COMMISSION

**February 6, 2020
Hillsborough Town Office
Approved Minutes**

Present:

Commissioners: Richard Head, Chair; Sam Stark; Richard McNamara.

John P. Segedy, Recording Secretary & Alternate; Jon Daley, Selectperson.

Chair Head appointed John Segedy to vote in place of a vacancy and called the Hillsborough Conservation Commission (HCC) meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

1. January 16, 2019

A couple of corrections were suggested.

Richard McNamara moved: *To approve the minutes of January 16, 2019 as amended.*

Sam Stark seconded. Motion passed 4-0.

CORRESPONDENCE

- 1. NHDES (NH Department of Environmental Services)** – E-mail newsletter
- 2. NHMA (NH Municipal Association)** – E-mail Legislative Bulletin. Richard McNamara noted a proposal for abutter notification for timber cuts. After a brief discussion consensus of the Commission the consensus was not to take a position.
- 3. CNHRPC (Central NH Regional Planning Commission)** – Email newsletter.
- 4. NHDOT (NH Department of Transportation)** – Driveway Permit (M 11K, L 330-1).
- 5. Bay State Forestry Service** – Intent to Cut - Stowe Mountain Rd., (M 4, L 15).
- 6. NHDES** – Wetland Permit Application – Request for More Information – Red Fox Crossing (M 16, L 318 & 51; M 4, L 558).
- 7. NHDES** – Confirmation of Forestry Permit by Notification - County Rd., (M 2, L 32) (January 10, 2020).
- 8. NHDES** – Confirmation of Forestry Permit by Notification – County Rd., (M 2, L 32) (January 31, 2020).

OLD BUSINESS

a. 2020 Activities

- i. Property List & Presentation Update** – Richard McNamara spoke of a possible presenter. He will forward the name to Richard Head.
- ii. Confluence Trail Update (M 11K, L 330-1)** – Driveway Permit was received.
- iii. Website Update** – John Segedy suggested that Loon Award Recipients be put on the web site. Consensus was in agreement. He will do so.
- iv. Game Camera Presentation** – Richard McNamara reported he had spoken to Dave Anderson from SPNHF (Society for Preservation of NH Forests) who said he had just prepared a new presentation on the subject he would be willing to put on for the HCC. The cost is \$200. The possibility of having Morse's Sporting goods also at the presentation with examples of cameras available.
- v. Forwarded complaint** – Richard Head reported that he had spoken to Jeff Lachario regarding the concern that the HCC had forwarded to them. The bridge in question appears to comply as a temporary one which needs to be removed when work is completed (by expiration of five year permit). It was also noted that slash may be a concern and will be inspected.

NEW BUSINESS

1. **Loon** – It was noted that it was time to consider if awarding this year.
2. **Energy Commission** - Jon Daley reported that upon Brett Cherrington's suggestion the Selectboard is planning on forming an Energy Commission as an advisory committee.

ADJOURNMENT

Sam Stark moved: *To adjourn.*

Richard McNamara seconded. Motion passed 4-0 at 7:32 pm.

Respectfully Submitted:

John P. Segedy
Recording Secretary
Approved February 20, 2020