

HILLSBOROUGH CONSERVATION COMMISSION

May 19, 2016

Hillsborough Town Office

Approved Minutes

Present:

Commissioners: Terry Yeaton, Vice Chair; Linda White; Richard Head.

John P. Segedy, Recording Secretary & Alternate.

Marian Baker.

Acting Chair Yeaton called the Hillsborough Conservation Commission (HCC) meeting to order at 7:11 pm. It was noted that Jim Young and Rob Drummond had resigned from the Commission. There was discussion of quorums and John Segedy's status as an alternate. John Segedy was appointed to vote in place of a vacant position.

MINUTES

1. May 5, 2016

Richard Head moved: *To approve the minutes of May 5, 2016 as presented.*

Linda White seconded. Motion passed 4-0.

CORRESPONDENCE

1. **Town of Hillsborough** – Budget and account statements. Conservation Fund balance is \$83,348.50.
2. **Intent to Cut** – Route 202 (M 11D, L 298; M 11H, L 305 & 306; M 11L, L 311 & 327).
3. **Intent to Cut** – Route 202 (M 11L, L 314).
4. **DES** – Shoreland Impact Permit – Eversource Energy Sawmill Road Road (M 11G, L 307).

OLD BUSINESS

1. Trails

a. River Walk – Saturday's work session was reviewed. The Commission expressed thanks to Luke and Cody Gould for their assistance. There was discussion of Poison Ivy. No decision was reached about dealing with it.

Terry Yeaton reported he had spoken with Steve Livingston regarding his discussion with the Selectboard about ATV crossing of the recently acquired conservation land abutting the River Walk. They are willing to attend an HCC meeting to discuss the matter. Terry Yeaton will invite him to attend the June 16, 2016 meeting which will begin as a site walk starting at Grimes Field.

b. Old Mill Farm – Richard Head said he hoped to walk the property in the next month so they could discuss trail plans.

c. John Segedy reported that he had driven by the Patenaude Marsh entrance and had noticed that work had begun removing the encroachments.

2. Lighting –

It was noted that Jim Young had been working on this. Consensus of Commission was to see if he would be willing to continue/finish working on this on behalf of the Commission. Terry Yeaton will contact him and ask.

3. **Facebook Page** – Consensus was to wait until membership was replaced before working on this.
4. **Abatement** – The HCC discussed its options or lack thereof.
5. **Hildreth Mill Survey** – The HCC discussed the proposal received previously.

Richard Head moved: *To authorize Terry Yeaton to sign and accept the proposal from Donald R. Mellen Surveyor, LLC to Survey and Mark the Hildreth Mill Lots (M 6, L 36 & 42) for \$3,960.00.*
Linda White seconded. Motion passed 4-0.

ADJOURNMENT

Richard Head moved: *To adjourn.*

Linda White seconded. Motion passed 4-0 at 8:22 pm.

Respectfully Submitted:

John P. Segedy
Recording Secretary
Approved June 2, 2016