

Litchfield Conservation Commission

December 3, 2009

7:00 p.m. Town Hall

2 Liberty Way

Minutes Approved 2/4/10

Members Present: Joan McKibben Chairman
Tom Levesque
Sharon Jones
Marion Godzik
Roger St. Laurent
Richard Husband
Michael Croteau– Alternate

Absent:
Selectmen's Rep: Andy Santom
Stephen Tarara – Alternate

Called to order 7:04 PM

Chairman Joan McKibben appointed Michael Croteau to the open seat for the meeting.

Items Discussed:

1. **CTAP open space report** - Richard Husband wrote an intro for the Open Space Report and both will be uploaded to LCC Website.
2. **Moore's Falls** – Roger St. Laurent has spent 10 hours mowing at Moore's Falls with approximately another 4-5 hours to go. He will also mow by trolley track and a little closer to where the beavers were. Roger St. Laurent will purchase a tune-up kit and an hour meter for the mower, the oil had been very dirty, and he is also needs to be reimbursed for 7 gallons of gas.
3. **Planning Board** – will be voting for the Conservation Open Space Development Ordinance (COSD) currently in 'Draft' status. Subdivisions over 10 acres or greater will be subject to COSD. NH statute requires communities to provide a reasonable opportunity for affordable Workforce Housing in accordance with RSA 674:58-61.

4. **Site Visits** – 12/12/09 LCC to meet at 8:00 a.m. at Map 2 Lot 128 Cutler Road and then proceed to property adjacent to Stage Crossing Map 12 Lot 25.

The Boy Scout Leader approached Tom Levesque regarding an Eagle Scout Project. Tom Levesque mentions to LCC a good project would perhaps be to clear some of that area at Map 12 Lot 25 for parking we could put some gravel down and perhaps clear some walking paths or put up a small bridge to cross.

5. **Fishing Derby** – May 8, 2010 Mike Croteau to speak to Mary Weiss at Trout Unlimited to see if they could come to the derby and teach the kids about fishing and safe handling of fish.
6. **NHACC** annual meeting update – Marion Godzik, Michael Croteau and Sharon Jones all attended and found this years topics very beneficial.

Any Other Business/Correspondence:

Dame/Ducharme Wells (letter that had gone to DES) a follow up letter/note to go out as to who's monitoring the increased withdrawal on the wells.

Marion Godzik thought it would be a good idea if perhaps the LCC got some type of badge to wear when we are on site walks as most of the Town recognizes who Mrs. McKibben is but not the other members of LCC. All members agreed.

Roger St. Laurent Motions to accept 11/5/09 Minutes as amended, Tom Levesque 2nds the Motion, Motion carries 6-0-0.

7:53 P.M. Joan McKibben Motions for a Roll Call Vote to go into Non- Public Session RSA 91-A:3 II (d)

8:25 P.M. Tom Levesque Motions to come out of Non-Public, Marion Godzik 2nds the Motion, Motion carries 6-0-0.

8:31 P.M. Roger St. Laurent Motions to adjourn, Tom Levesque 2nds the Motion, Motion carries 6-0-0.

Next Meeting(s): 1-7-10

Submitted by: Sharon M. Jones, Secretary