

DRAFT MINUTES
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
MEETING MINUTES
JULY 12, 2017

PRESENT: Bob Boynton, Chairman, David McTigue, Jack Messe, Lisa Oden, Matt Oliveria, Kleta Dudley (SoRLAC Rep), Lori Rautiola
ABSENT: Karen Miller
PUBLIC: Michael Bara

The meeting was called to order at the Town Office at 7:30 p.m.

The minutes of the June 14, 2017 meeting were reviewed. Bob made a motion to approve the minutes. Lisa seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

Committee Reports:

Lands: Bob mentioned he would like the Committee to research potential lands for protection. He asked members to each find two parcels of land that may be worth protecting. The Board discussed the criteria for land protection.

Communications: The Commission discussed creating a Facebook page to enhance the awareness of the Conservation Commission.

Water Resources: The members reviewed the surveys that were sent back from the residents near the old "Page Hill Dump" site. It was noted the Commission will pay for four water tests. Members will determine which four wells will get tested based on their criteria. (Topography, groundwater towards the pond and elevation).

New Business: Bob questioned if any members had a chance to do any land monitoring of the Conservation properties recently. Jack noted he will be walking the Whitemore Hill and the Currier property within a month or so. Bob reported the Binney Hill property is now gated.

The meeting adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Lori Rautiola