

Charlemont Conservation Commission
November 4, 2015
Town Hall Meeting Room

Present: Kathy Reynolds (chair), Bill Harker, Doug Telling, Mike Walsh, Amy Chattin, Doug Forbes

Absent: Doug Johnson

Called to order at 6:30 pm

1. October 7, 2015 minutes approved through signatures.
2. 599 Tea St. Lot 8 building permit sign-off approved. Harker wondered if a DEP violation remained and if so if a permit could be issued.
3. An alternate to the Earth Removal Committee needed. Harker nominated Kathy Reynolds, Telling seconded. Passed unanimously with no abstentions.
4. Reviewed correspondence
5. It is noted that the MACC fee will increase by \$3.00 for Fiscal Year 2017.
6. Question raised as to whether the commission wished to move from 7 to 5 members before the currently scheduled transition set for July 1, 2016. Reynolds pointed out that by moving up the date we only gain approximately three months. Telling moved and Harker seconded a motion that we change to 5 on July 1, 2016 as currently planned. Passed unanimously with no abstentions.
7. Walsh recused himself and informed the Commission that he wants to put in a dry hydrant connected to Wilder Brook on Hawk Hill Rd. The Commission suggested that he contact Mark Stinson at DEP to see what paperwork is required, given that this is for use during emergencies, and contact the fire chief, Doug Annear.
8. Received a report that David Fersh on the Mohawk Trail has changed a wetland. Reynolds will contact Stinson.

Harker moved and Telling seconded a motion to adjourn. Passed unanimously with no abstentions.

Meeting adjourned at 7:20 pm

Documents Reviewed
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- Agenda 11/4/15
- Minutes for 10/7/15