## **Town of Londonderry**

Conservation Commission July 16, 2020, 5:00pm VIA ZOOM MEETING

## **MINUTES**

- 1) Meeting came to order at 5:15. Present: Irwin Kuperberg, Helen Haman, Jane MacKugler, Kathie Stone, Stephen Swinburne, Sunny Wright.
- 2) The June 2020 Draft of Minutes was approved after a correction of the Parks Committee item to reflect a summary of the LCCs response to their request
- 3) Old Business
  - a. West River Trail historical signage- There have been no new developments at this time as the Historical Society is involved with their annual campaign. It was proposed that there will be two or three signs along the trail with points of interest. Steve will work on a preliminary draft of two signs: overview of ecosystem/conservation; farms/history/RR/cattle crossing
  - b. EAB traps, first inspection-Irwin and Helen will take down the traps on Monday 7/20 and submit any captured specimens
  - c. The Pollinators- recap- We had an estimate viewership of approximately 50 and there were many positive comments. A recording of the Q&A is available. Possible followups: photos of pollinator gardens in our community, perhaps with the Garden Club; promotion of native plants as the best attraction for local pollinators; future program on establishing a pollinator garden
  - d. Future programs- webcasts
    - i. Jane virtual Loon Talk.-To take place on Thursday, August 13 @7pm
  - e. Zoning Bylaws and Maps- We reviewed section 2108 of the Draft Zoning Bylaws, Conservation District. There were a number of questions about this section that are being sent to the Planning Commission for clarification
- 4) New Business- there was no new business
- 5) Wildlife Sightings- deer, HUGE hare, bears, bald eagles, mallards, chipmunks
- 6) Adjourn