Town of Londonderry

Conservation Commission Agenda September 17, 2020, 5:00pm VIA ZOOM MEETING

Minutes

- 1) Call Meeting to Order
 - a) Meeting begins at 5:02pm
 - b) In attendance Irwin Kuperberg, Steve Swinburne, Helen Hamman, Jane MacKugler, Sunny Wright.
- 2) Additions or Deletions to the Agenda
- 3) Approval of the August 2020 Draft of Minutes
 - a) Helen makes a motion to accept minutes as read, Sunny seconds, all in favor.
- 4) Old Business
 - a. EAB traps, 2nd inspection
 - i. Irwin Collected the traps and mailed the specimens to the lab yesterday.
 - b. West River Trail historical signage update
 - i. Steve is writing drafts of signs for Original People (Abenaki), West River Railroad, Natural Watershed.
 - ii. Steve and Mimi will schedule a meeting with Mimi and Sharon after September 24th to discover information they would like to include.
 - c. Podcast Suggestion
 - i. We can create an LCC Youtube Chanel to share our presentations with the public, everywhere, anywhere!
 - d. All members will be communicating in the upcoming weeks to cultivate these ideas.
- 5) New Business
 - a. Mill Pond Dam
 - b. New presentations:
 - i. Coyotes
 - Will ask Chris Schadler, NH and VT Representative for Project Covote
 - ii. The Changing Vt Landscape and How it Effects Wildlife with Kim Royar of the Vermont Fish and Wildlife Furbearer Project.
 - 1. Suggested date November 10 at 7pm.
 - iii. Hunting and its Role in Conservation with Game Warden Kyle Isherwood.
 - 1. Suggested date Tuesday October 20.
 - 2. Sunny will take the lead on this.
 - 3. Two hunter panelists are needed.
 - iv. Subnivean Zone Fauna presentation for January

- 1. Helen has heard from Tom Rogers Biologist at the Nature Conservancy and he is on board.
- 2. Helen will communicate we would prefer January.

c. Project Londonderry-Recreation/Outdoor Resources Working Group

i. Currently gathering and is currently gathering and documenting walking and hiking trails and bike routes. Print and digital maps and brochures will be produced to capture all that Londonderry has to offer. The group will continue to explore year-round activities. They would love to hear more from residents on the types of outdoor and recreation needed for everyone.

6) Wildlife Sightings

- a. Caterpillars in various forms of their lifecycle, Asian Jumping Worms, Loons, Hummingbirds, Warblers, Yellow-Bellied Sap Sucker, Red Breasted Nut Hatch, Red Fox, Porcupine, Black Bears, Turkey,
- 7) Next meeting will be held on Thursday, October 15th at 5:00pm

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