

## Hampton Conservation Commission

### Minutes of the 27 April, 2010 Meeting

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Wayne Kilpatrick at 7:35 pm.

Also present were: Everett Hyde, Marcia Kilpatrick, Joann Freeman, Bob Johnson and Randy Thompson.

Absent were: Dan Meade, Penny Newbury and Phoebe Huang.

Minutes of the 23 March meeting were accepted.

Audience for citizens: none

Additions to the agenda:

1. Brown property-pond.
2. Willi. Waste tour.
3. Hemphill property.
4. Chairmanship of HCC.

All will go under New Business.

Old Business:

1. Establish Priorities/Plan for Goals Established at the March Meeting:
  - A. The idea of flooding preparation and mapping of town waterways, and abutting properties and their current status.
  - B. Walks, and walking trails in town.
  - C. Recycling in town.
  - D. Protecting and increasing greenways in town.
2. Old Barn Project update: There was discussion on work done up to now, and still to be done. A few people have completed their areas, and some have not yet started.
3. Hiking Trail Map/Project: Bob Johnson is progressing with this.

New Business:

1. WCCC meeting of 29 April: There will be a presentation by the Woodstock Green Team describing what their town has done.
2. Town Land Fund: The wording of the use of this fund could mean it may be used for any land acquisition. This is to be discussed at the next BOS meeting. We had much discussion on this

topic, and then even more....!! We agreed to send a letter to the BoS reflecting the feelings of HCC members (present) on the proposed "use" of this money.

3. Brown's Pond: Mr. Brown has reached tentative agreement to dredge his pond.
4. Willi Waste Tour: A tour of the Willimantic Waste and Recycling plant will be on May 14 (Friday) at 9 am.
5. Hemphill Property: This property is on Old Canterbury Road. The family is thinking of protecting the land, and Joshuas Trust may be involved.
6. Chairmanship of HCC: Wayne Kilpatrick announced he will be stepping down as Chairman after the next meeting. This will finish his 5 years of service to HCC. We will need to elect a new Chairman at this meeting.

Meeting was adjourned at 9:15 pm.

Respectfully submitted, Randy Thompson, recording secretary.