



TOWN OF BOW

Conservation Commission

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Bow Conservation Commission Meeting – January 13, 2020 Minutes

The regular meeting of the Bow Conservation Commission was held on January 13 at 7:00 p.m. Chair Sandy Crystall called the meeting to order with the introduction of the members.

Members present: Sandy Crystall, Wendy Waskin, Amanda Kallenbach, Bob Ball, and Michael Hansen. Also present were Jeff Littleton and Chris Kane from Moosewood Ecological, Martin Murray and Harry Hadaway from Bow Open Spaces, and Linda Millman, resident.

Items for Consideration/Discussion

NRI update

Jeff Littleton presented the NRI update. He reviewed the maps, noting Commission comments for each map individually and answered questions from the Commission members and the public.

Ms. Waskin made a motion to approve the latest invoice from January 7, 2020 from Moosewood Ecological for \$5,237.50, duly seconded by Ms. Kallenbach and motion passed unanimously.

Review draft BCC annual report

Members reviewed the draft of the annual report for the Commission and discussed corrections and edits.

Ms. Waskin made a motion to approve the Annual Commission report as amended, Ms. Kallenbach seconded, and motion passed unanimously.

Turee Pond /VLAP Update

Ms. Crystall noted that she had received a Turee Pond report from the herbicide contractor on the results of Milfoil treatment which mentioned a small presence of Milfoil in October 2019. Ms. Crystall obtained information about the location and sent the report to NHDES. NHDES responded with suggestion to have it removed by divers and provided an application for the grant for this year. Members discussed the options and the costs associated with them. *Motion was made by Ms. Kallenbach to submit the grant application for a round of diving and DASH work and approve the Town cost of \$2,700. Ms. Waskin seconded and motion passed unanimously.*

Unapproved 12/09/2019 Minutes.

The December 9, 2019 minutes were reviewed and changes were made. *Ms. Kallenbach made a motion, duly seconded by Mr. Ball to approve the minutes as amended. The motion passed unanimously.*

Other items

Ms. Crystall spoke about the following:

- NHDES announcing the new round of the Aquatic Resource Mitigation Fund Requests for Proposals coming up soon;
- Saving Special Places Conference, Saturday April 4, 2020
- Coverts Project - Volunteer to Help New Hampshire's Wildlife and Forests

Mr. Ball made a motion to adjourn. Ms. Kallenbach duly seconded and motion passed unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 9:45 PM.