

MILTON CONSERVATION COMMISSION PO BOX 310 MILTON, NH 03851 Wednesday, 11/2/2022 Meeting at 6:00 PM Milton Town Hall conference room

Virginia and Steve personally request all attendees who have not been fully vaccinated and boosted to wear a mask during the meeting. (We are vaccinated but will likely wear masks anyway, because of our age/vulnerable status and Steve's elderly parents.) Thank you for your consideration!

AGENDA

- 1. Welcome guests: MMRG representative Veronica Bodge, others?
- 2. Ascertain who is present and approve alternates to serves as full members as needed
- 3. 6 pm Public Hearing on Conservation Funds for MMRG's Mason Road Project
- 4. 6:20 pm Public Hearing on Conservation Funds for MMRG's Jones Brook Park Project
- 5. Topics of common interest with MMRG (Veronica Bodge)
 - a. Update on Jones Brook Park easement project
 - b. Casey Rd Conservation Land: Trails; Invasive Species removal
- 6. Event announcements: NHACC Annual Meeting on Saturday, November 5
- 7. Display/circulate CC materials for lending (sign-out sheet) (Deb) and MCC mail
- 8. Review/Approve 10/5/2022 meeting minutes with corrections
- 9. Open Space Development Zoning Ordinance –Virginia report on meetings with Planning Board
- 10. Wetlands protections:
 - Review priorities of which wetlands need more protection
 - Review Milton Town ordinances protecting wetlands and public waters
 - Brainstorm/consider next steps to better protect wetlands in Milton
 - Educate landowners letter to wetland abutters?

- 11. Financial Report: (Steve)
- 12. Wetlands and Shoreland Permit Applications OR Violations:
- 13. Town-owned Easements and Conservation lands:
 - a. EASEMENTS: Kane Conservation will monitor in late September; Steve will monitor Current easement (Steve)
 - b. FEE PROPERTIES:
 - i. Old Ski Area -- Update on plan to get easement (Virginia)
 - ii. Jones Brook Park : see agenda item numbers 4 & 5
 - iii. Spaulding Turnpike next stewardship walk in November?
 - iv. Dames Brook --
 - v. Casey Rd Conservation Land: see agenda item numbers 5 & 15
 - vi. Ball Property -- Consider public use and signage;
- 14. Trail Volunteers Group Update (Jeff)
- 15. Deb report on 2nd recent workshop: Invasives Control
- 16. Update on organizing MCC files at Town Hall and before Town offices move to new building (Sharon & Virginia)
- 17. Town of Milton walking trails map
 - update on distribution to date (Virginia)
 - plan for printing/distribution/electronic dissemination
- 18. Educational Outreach: TPPA, Facebook, other (Virginia)
- 19. Update on Sam Plummer Rd Culvert Project (Virginia)
- 20. New: 'Conservation restriction' assessment option (Virginia)
- 21. Update on Recruitment of new Alternate Commission members: Diane DeVries
- 22. Place holder: Update on status of 3.04-acre parcel (tax/lot 41/81) abutting Casey Rd Conservation Land (Virginia)
- 23. Other business
- 24. Public input
- 25. Agenda items for next time
- 26. Propose meeting 1 WEEK EARLY next month on Wed., NOVEMBER 30 at 6pm
- 27. Adjourn