



**MILTON CONSERVATION COMMISSION PO
BOX 310 MILTON, NH 03851
Wednesday, 2/1/2023 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:
2. Ascertain who is present and approve alternates to serves as full members as needed
3. Event announcements:
 - MMRG Owl Prowl at Branch Hill Farm Camsie Anna Trail, Thursday, Feb. 2, 5:30 pm, pre-registration required (waiting list only)
 - NHLTC Annual Meeting/Winter Workshop, Thurs, Feb 16; 9– Noon; SELT Mathey Center, Epping, NH; Topic:“Hand in Hand: Conservation,Solar,Housing”
 - NH Coverts Project: 4 training sessions in May 2023; submit letter of application
 - Town Deliberative Session on Saturday morning, Feb 11
 - Town Candidates Session on Sunday evening, Feb 12
4. Display/circulate MCC mail and CC materials for lending (sign-out sheet)
5. Review/Approve 1/4/2023 meeting minutes with corrections (sent out in advance)
6. Financial Report: (Steve) -- review budget, bank statements and reimbursement approvals
7. Wetlands and Shoreland Permit Applications OR Violations, if any (Virginia, Wayne)
8. Wetlands protections:
 - Discuss which points to include in letter to landowners about wetlands (sent out in advance)
 - Consider proposing revisions to zoning ordinance to better protect wetlands and steep slopes in Milton
 - Write letter to state reps (Michael Granger, Claudine Burnham, Glenn Bailey) about relevant bills in legislature: especially HB 592 (notified by NHACC)

9. Trail Volunteers Group Update (Jeff)

10. Town-owned Easements and Conservation lands:

FEE PROPERTIES:

- Jones Brook Park/Payne: Letter of Understanding between MMRG & Town; letter sent out in advance (Virginia)
- Casey Rd Conservation Land
- Spaulding Turnpike
- Dames Brook
- Old Ski Area -- Update on plan to get deed restriction (Virginia)
- Ball Property –survey work report and need for more work(Virginia); update on signage (Jeff)

EASEMENTS:

- FRIZZELL
- LANCEY WARD
- LAVALLIERE
- LIBERTY CIRCLE
- LYMAN BROOK
- SILVER SPRINGS
- WALLACE WAY
- NUTE HAYBARN AND PLANTATION EASEMENTS
- Letters to landowners?
- Kane Conservation Monitoring (Virginia) ;
 - New monitoring form
 - Contract for extra work to find boundaries and mark

11. Workshop reports, if any

12. MCC Bylaws revision – ANNOUNCE FOR NEXT TIME

13. Recruitment of new Commission and Alternate members

14. Virginia's report

15. Other business

16. Public input

17. Confirm date of next month's meeting: Wed., March 1, 2023 at 6pm

18. Adjourn