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CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Minutes of the meeting of December 13, 2007

Note: These minutes are to be considered draft minutes only until approved by the Commission at its next meeting.

Members present were: John Trachy, Cynthia Bruss, Daphne Klein, Ken Jacques, and Todd Richardson. Absent were: Ken Downs, Geobe McCusker, Jane Seekamp, and Robert Anderson.

The meeting was called to order at 7:10 pm by John Trachy.

The minutes of the 11/08/07 meeting were approved as written.

Update -- Reduced Salt Winter Maintenance Area: John will contact the police, highway, and fire/rescue departments to discuss any concerns they may have about the project and to see if they would support a hearing with NH DOT where more information would be provided.

Update – Wetlands/Natural Resource Inventory: Two copies of a draft of the Watershed to Wildlife report have been received. The two copies will be passed around to all the members of the Conservation Commission to review. At the next CC meeting in January, we will review and consolidate all the corrections and send these on to W to W. A public meeting to present the report will be scheduled after all the budget meetings have been concluded, probably toward the end of February.

Committee meetings:

Wetlands: Three intent to cut applications have been received: on Sanborn Hill, Sanborn Hill Extension, and Star Lake. Sanborn Hill and Star Lake have been viewed by members.

Conservation Lands: Another property owner in town has expressed interest in getting a conservation easement on their property.

Outreach: Todd and Daphne met with the Select Board on 12/11 to update them on the Wetlands/NRI inventory. CC members will be attending the next meetings of the Zoning and Planning Boards to do the same. John has submitted the grant request for the GIS software.

Master Plan Recommendations: will be taken up in a future meeting.

Given the weather conditions the meeting was adjourned at 7:55 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Daphne Klein
Secretary