

Town of Londonderry
Conservation Commission Minutes
Thursday September 19, 2019 – 6:00pm
100 Old School Street, Londonderry, VT

- 1) Call Meeting to Order at 6:00
 - a) Irwin Kuperberg, Helen Hamman, Jane MacKugler, Steve Swinburne, Mark Wright, Sunny Wright

- 2) Approval of the August Draft of Minutes
 - a) Irwin moves to approve.
 - b) Mark seconds, all in favor.

- 3) Additions or Deletions to the Agenda
 - a) No additions or deletions to the agenda.

- 4) Old Business
 - a) Lowell Lake
 - i) Survey
 - (1) Closes September 26th.
 - (2) We are encouraging LCC members and the public to submit it.
 - (3) On October 1 Irwin will go to Chester CC meeting to discuss the LCC statement on Lowell Lake.
 - ii) On behalf of the LCC Irwin will propose a pressure washing station for watercraft to VT Department of Fish & Wildlife.
 - b) Helen reviewed our milkweed planting at the Prouty property with modest survival rate.

- 5) New Business
 - a) Budget
 - i) Still awaiting details.
 - b) Other Programs
 - i) Moose Talk October 10 – location Floodbrook at 6:30
 - (1) Steve will give us info. Irwin will edit.
 - (2) Andie will distribute (include Floodbrook & Windham CC)
 - ii) Helen proposed caterpillar talk for late August or September 2020.
 - (1) Steve has a contact at The Caterpillar Lab in Marlborough, NH.
 - (2) Suggested location the Prouty property.
 - iii) Sunny proposed bird talk.
 - iv) Irwin proposes a geologist talk.
 - v) Covered Bridge Talk possibly in February
 - (1) Possible collaboration with Historical Society.
 - vi) West River Trail Historical Markers

- (1) We could supplement the markers with flora identifications.
 - (2) Helen has researched sign pricing.
 - (3) Signs have different life spans based on their material.
 - (4) Most sufficient size 18" x 24".
 - (5) Would like to recognize former farms/homesteads.
 - (6) Sunny will contact Mimi and Sharon Crossman of W. River Trail Association.
- 6) Wildlife Sightings
 - a) Hawks, butterflies, turkeys, porcupines, bald eagle, kingfishers, turtle, great blue heron, hummingbirds, bees, bear.
 - 7) Next Meeting is Thursday October 24th at 6:00pm
 - 8) Adjourn
 - a) Meeting adjourned at 6:58pm.