

# Dalton Conservation Commission

## Meeting Minutes for January 21<sup>st</sup>, 2020

Meeting Opened @: 6:34 PM

Present Members: Corey St. Cyr, David Spreadbury, Christine Rouillard, Douglas Ingerson Jr and Vanessa Hines

Absent: Julie Simons medical.

Public Present Beth, Tamala Swan, Carol Shelty, Jon Swan, Rob a member from the Lancaster Conservation Commission, Tina Peabody.

Minutes were asked to be produced from prior meetings. These had been provided when Tina Peabody asked for them last year. The Commission will be emailing the minutes

The commission did not get to go over much of anything for the agenda for the meeting where the Select Board all showed up and sat at the table and asked how the Commission works that they are unfamiliar with the ways. Where 2/3 select board, members have been on the SB for quite some years now and have failed to provide a liaison to date. We have still yet to receive a liaison for the conservation commission as well. The board had answered their questions to the best of our ability and for ones we were unsure of they were referred to the RSA's that can be found online.

There was an expedited application that was submitted to the board outside of meeting and was reviewed and called DES Wetlands Bureau to verify that it was acceptable to be signed and it was signed. Copy of this was provided to the Select Board at our meeting tonight 1-21-2020.

Discussion of clean up day and possibly adding additional days as well.

Jon Sawn asked when the last water testing was done. Christine had informed him the equipment needs to be updated and will price out and reach out to NHACC on the matter as well as the proper way to go about updating the NRI that the last time it was recorded was in 2005.

Select Board asked for Annual report and budget. Will Have these drafted up and emailed to the board.

Jon Sawn asked when the last water testing was done.

Two terms will be expiring this month. At our next meeting in Feb, we will discuss/reappoint. Anyone is welcome to come and show their interest in joining the Conservation Commission.

The process is to attend 3 consecutive Conservation Commission Meetings at the Dalton Town Hall. Which are held every 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month at 6:30 pm. From there you must obtain a letter of interest from the Chair of the Dalton Conservation Committee and present it to the Select Board at their monthly meeting for approval. From there the Dalton Conservation Commission Secretary would appoint as an alternate or member, would need a motion and a second motion for approval said positions.

Talk of Forest Lake in Dalton having tested positive for E-Coli in the past. The Select Board Jo Beth had said no we were wrong there is another Forest Lake in southern NH. The commission will provide copies of said FAILED WATER TESTING.

As a reminder this is an Advisory Committee who are volunteers.

Mail: Monthly E-News was provided to the public. The Select Board took them.

**Motion to adjourn Meeting made. Second motion made.**

**Meeting adjourned at 7:45 PM.**

**Next Meeting February 18<sup>th</sup> , 2020 @ 6:30 PM**

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