Dalton Conservation Commission DRAFT Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, September 15, 2026
Meeting called to order at 6:04PM
Members present: Jon Swan, Carol Sheltry, Mandy Deveno
Public: Frank Hubbard

Mandy was made a voting member and Jon was made acting chair for the meeting.

August 18, 2026 meeting minutes were approved and signed.

Gina Damiano's resignation was accepted.

Carol made the motion to accept Mandy as a full member to replace Gina, Jon seconded. Many Deveno is now a full voting member, term expires in 2029. We now have a 2nd Alternate position open.
Jon will notify Jeanette to update the town website. We still need to nominate a new Chair and Secretary. Will discuss and hopefully complete at the next meeting with more members present.

The DCC had received a letter of interest from Frank Hubbard, who was in attendance and spoke to his interest in serving on the Conservation Commission. A motion was made and approved to nominate Frank to fill the 2nd Alternate position. Jon will forward to the BOS for their approval.

The Master Gardener Fall Talk was briefly discussed with no forward movement. We had previously discussed Tuesday, October 20, as the date for "Putting the Garden to Bed" and possibly combining seed starting and soil testing for Tuesday, March 16, 2027. No response from UNH Extension.

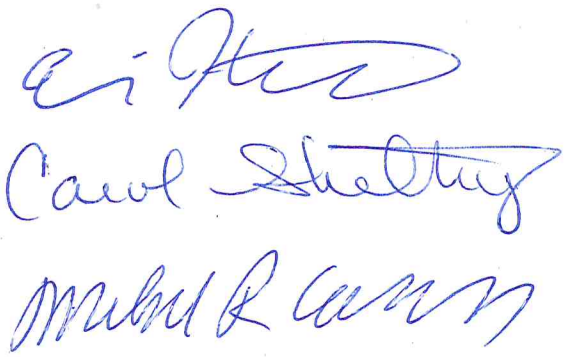
The Fall Trail Walk at Forest Lake State Park is still on for October 24. We will try to promote via social media and handouts.

Mandy agreed to represent the DCC at the upcoming Fall North Country Conservation Commission meet up wth the Sugar Hill CC acting as host.

When: Thursday, October 22nd from 5:30PM – 7:15PM
Location: Crappo Building/Town Hall in Sugar Hill.

Under other and new business, Mandy brought up the Dalton Neighbors effort to create a playground on the Municipal Building grounds. The DCC would like to partner up with and help with the effort.

Bank Statement: As of 8/31/2026, the DCC has $67,020.55 in our account.

Please Mark your Calendars for the following:
Next DCC Meeting, Tuesday October 20, 2026, 6pm

Meeting Adjourned: 6:30PM