

**TOWN OF CHESTERFIELD  
CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
MEETING MINUTES  
OCTOBER 27, 2014**

Present: Kathy Thatcher, Chairman; Lynne Borofsky, Tom Duston, Steve Hardy, Jon McKeon, Selectboard Representative; Jeff Newcomer (arrived at 7:45 PM) and Amy LaFontaine

- 1). Tom moved September 22<sup>nd</sup> minutes as submitted. The motion was seconded by Lynne and passed unanimously.
- 2). Permits, Complaints –
  - A). E-mail 16 Tyler Road Complaint filed 2012-03026. DES does not see a violation. It was requested that they do a site visit.
  - B). Ragusa Family Trust - 160 North Shore Road PBN just dropped off.
  - C). Cersosimo – Welcome Hill Road 2014-04309 Application returned due to Septic.
  - D). Frank Amarosa, III – North Shore Road 2014-01941 2<sup>nd</sup> Request for more information.
  - E). Ann & Neil Connolly – Incomplete 2014-02430
- 3). Grants & Events –
  - A). Lynne has not heard anything from Fields Pond Foundation.
  - B). The Madame Sherri event on the 27<sup>th</sup> went well. Lynne wanted to Thank Tom for putting together Office Publisher for the poster.
  - C). Tom & Lynne are presenting 3 sessions at the NHACC annual meeting next weekend.
- 4). Website – Lynne asked Jeff to post pictures of the Madame Sherri event.
- 5). Tools –
  - A). Rick Carrier responded regarding the registration. Stating that we need registration, title or bill of sale; or pay \$17.50 for expired registration and renew. Steve will continue to search for it.
  - B). Trail adopter Scott Lavine used the Weed Whacker from Indian Pond to Mt Wantastiquet.
  - C). Tom has the cordless drill and the weed whacker.
- 6). Trail Development, Land Project –
  - A). New Trail Worker, Scott, has been weed whacking from Indian Pond to Mount Wantastiquet.
  - B). Chris Hardy put up more signs on Daniels Mtn Loop. The Fletchers painted signs at Top & Bottom of Daniels Mtn Trail. John Herrick has done chainsaw work on Daniels Mtn.
  - C). West Hill Project – The Conservancy needs to raise \$75,000. The Commission has committed \$17,000 from the Fund.
  - D). There is a new Sign at the Corner of Gulf & Mtn road pointing towards Madame Sherri's.
  - E). There is logging at Colony Pond. Forecastle Timber will put in a bridge for us.
  - F). Tom moved to expend up to \$2,000 from the Fund for repairing the gates at the end of Old Prouty Road. The motion was seconded by Jeff and passed unanimously.
- 7). Selectmen's Report –
  - A). The Granite Bench in front of the Town Offices has been dedicated in Memory of Carol Ross.

B). Jon reported that there is a proposal to merge 2 commercial properties on Brown Ave and build 8,000 square foot fireworks store.

8). Other – The Commission reviewed the 2015 Budget.

9). Adjournment – The next meeting will be November 24<sup>th</sup>, Pam will be the Chair. There will not be a meeting in December and the next meeting will be January 26<sup>th</sup> and Lynne will be Chair. The meeting adjourned at 9 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Amy LaFontaine  
Secretary

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Kathy Thatcher  
Chairman

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