
SANDISFIELD CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Regular Meeting Minutes

Date: JULY 18, 2023
Time: 7pm
Location: Old Town Hall, 3 Silverbrook Road

Call To Order

The meeting was called to order at 7:05 PM

Roll Call

Board Member Attendance:

Paul Gaudette	Chair	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> Absent
Clare English	Member	<input type="radio"/> Present	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Absent
Theresa Spohnholz	Member	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> Absent
Mary Turek	Member	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> Absent
Eric Hartshorn	Member	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Present	<input type="radio"/> Absent

Other Attendees: Ellen Corbier, Peter Levine, Alix Nikatuk, Ashley Nikituk

I. Accept Minutes from Previous Meetings

Motion: M. Turek
to accept June
minutes

Support: T.
Spohnholz

Ayes: 4

Nays: 0

2. Pay bills and peruse mail

T. Spohnholz presented bills and invoices. Accepted and approved. Reviewed Forest Plan received, there is no signature from forester. Paul Gaudette will call and get document signed.

3. Certificate of Completion

Request for completion of work at Silverbrook Lots.

Motion to certify completion of project. T. Spohnholz

Support – E. Hartshorn

M. Turek recused as owner of property

Ayes 3

Nayes 0

4. NOI 11 Smith road

Request to clear for Apple Orchard MCRS of Western Massachusetts looked at by Mark who did a site visit on July 6th, 2023. Mary Turk also made a site visit. It was noted that we still need an abutters' agreement.

Motion to complete with abutters' agreement by E. Hartshorn.

Support by M. Turek

Ayes 4

Nayes 0

5. NOI Town of Sandisfield Generic

Tabled for next meeting. No generic NOI filed.

6. Other Business

97 North Main Street

The Levines wish to replace columns on porch. Contractor is to take steps to prevent sediment from getting into the Farmington River.

Special Permit for Viets Road – no concerns. P.Gaudette will respond to Janie Beardsley.

Motion by M. Turek for P. Gaudette to continue as chair for Conservation Committee

Support by T. Spohnholz

Ayes – 4

Nayes 0

Motion by M. Turek for T. Spohnholz to continue as Administrative Assistant to Conservation Committee

Support by P. Gaudette

Ayes 4

Nayes 0

6) Call for Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 8:10

Motion to adjourn: T. Spohnholz

Support: E. Hartshorn

Ayes -4 Nays - 0

Minutes respectfully submitted,

Theresa M. Spohnholz

Board Administrative Assistant

09/19/2023

Date

Approved by the Sandisfield Conservation Commission on September 19, 2023.

Chairman

Date
