

Town of New Hampton
Conservation Commission Minutes
May 13, 2019
New Hampton Town Office
Upstairs Meeting Room, 6 Pinnacle Hill Rd.

Members present: T. Simpson, Chair, R. Pollock, G. DuBois, R. Leroux, K. Peterson
Absent: M. Schofield, S. Martinez, B. Rolfe

Meeting called to order by Chairman Simpson at 7:08 p.m.

The Minutes from the April 8, 2019 meeting were reviewed. Leroux made a motion to accept the minutes as written, seconded by Peterson and approved unanimously.

New Business:

1. Ms. Peterson was recognized by Chairman Simpson as a “regular” member, replacing Schlesinger who did not seek another term on the Commission after many years of service.
2. Chairman Simpson informed the Commission that the Select Board has agreed to provide funds for the purchase of a tree to be placed at Kelley Drake Conservation Area. Pollock will research the purchase of a red maple.
3. Leroux informed the Commission that he and Simson took an abandoned boat from Kelley-Drake to the Transfer Station and removed three security cameras from Snake River and Kelley-Drake Conservation Areas. Leroux reviewed content of the cameras. Two of the cameras are still functional.
4. DuBois announced that a clean-up day of Kelley-Drake and Snake River has been scheduled for Saturday, May 18, 8:30-noon. Discussion followed regarding the specifics of the day.
5. Signs made available by the NH Fish and Game will need to be signed by the Select Board. Leroux will follow-up with Barbara Lucas.
6. DuBois announced that the Kelley-Drake informational Kiosk is ready to be constructed and placed near the entry gate at the end of Kelley Pond Road. Discussion followed on exact placement. The placement will be delayed until the parking area is completed or a more suitable area can be found just inside the gate.
7. Leroux reviewed his suggestions on the filing of Commission documents and records. His ideas were well received and work on the filing system will continue with the eventual placement of Commission records placed in a vacant room on the second floor of the town office.

Meeting adjourned at 7:49 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Gordon DuBois, Secretary