

**TOWN OF NEW HAMPTON**  
**Conservation Commission**  
**MEETING MINUTES**  
New Hampton Fire Dept., 26 Intervale Dr.  
**Training Room/Zoom Meeting ID: 895 1818 4170**  
NEW HAMPTON, NH 03256

June 8, 2020

**Members Present:**

Regular Members: Mr. B. Pollock, Mrs. S. Martinez, Mr. M. Schofield, Ms. Peterson

Alternate Members: Mr. B. Rolfe

Absent Members: Mrs. D. Pendergast, Mr. N. Brown

**Other Present:**

None

**Call to order:**

Mr. Pollock called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

**Minutes**

Mr. Rolfe made a motion, seconded by Mr. Schofield to accept the minutes of 5/11/20 as submitted. *Vote was unanimous.*

**Correspondence**

- Forest Permit- Carter Mountain Rd.

**ELECTION OF OFFICERS**

Ms. Peterson made a motion, seconded by Mr. Pollock to nominate/elect Mrs. Shana Martinez as Chairman. *Vote was unanimous.*

Ms. Peterson made a motion, seconded by Mr. Schofield to nominate/elect Mr. Bob Pollock as Vice Chairman. *Vote was unanimous.*

Mrs. Martinez made a motion, seconded by Mr. Schofield to nominate/elect Ms. Peterson as Secretary. *Vote was unanimous.*

**1. UPDATE ON SNAKE RIVER CONSERVATION AREA AND DISCUSSION**

1. Mr. Pollock gave a brief overview of current status on Snake River Conservation Area. He discussed mitigation meeting that occurred on May 14, 2020. At this time Ms. Erin Darrow has requested a 60 day to extension to continue working on the mitigation plan. He also spoke with Jonathan Sisson (Beaver Tracks LLC.) who believes that we may be able to control the Japanese Knotweed in the area.

**2. LRCT TO REVIEW BALD LEDGE AT THEIR MARCH ACQUISITION MEETING.**

2. Mr. Pollock updated Commission on recent conference call with Ms. Lisetta Silvestri with LRCT. A site visit will need to be conducted. Potential dates would be June 17<sup>th</sup> or 18<sup>th</sup>. She sent over a list of criteria that Mr. Pollock read off. Estimated timeframe to complete easement process could be one to two years. Mr. Pollock recommends getting a Forest Management Plan and survey done on the Bald Ledge Property. Commission is in agreement to move forward with easement property. LRCT will be meeting 06/09/2020 to discuss potential Bald Ledge Easement. Estimates will be obtained.

**3. JACKSON POND UPDATE**

3. Mr. Pollock spoke with Roger Laroche with Squam Lake Association. A survey will need to be completed. SQA will set up a draft easement for Commission to review at July 13, 2020 meeting.

**4. ALFRED JENNESS SPRING: DISCUSSION**

**5. PLAQUE FOR PAT SCHLESINGER.**

**6. ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

4. Per Mr. Irvine, he was notified that tapping equipment has been removed. Mr. Rolfe will go and check area to make sure all items were removed.

5. Mrs. Martinez advised will email wording to Mr. Irvine.

6. Commission is still in need of new members.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

Mrs. Martinez made a motion; seconded by Mr. Schofield to adjourn at 7:34 pm. *Vote was unanimous.*

*Respectfully submitted, Shana M. Martinez*