

Ashby Conservation Commission
Minutes for the Meeting of June 6, 2012

Meeting opened at 7:30 with Tim, Roberta and Cathy in attendance

Minutes of the meeting of May 16, 2012 were approved unanimously with one note that the heading should be changed from Agenda to Minutes

Treasurer's Report: \$290 submitted for expense for Voss signs,

Correspondence:

Follow-up to Allan Dawson, Tree Warden, regarding progress in dealing with illegal tree cutting and wetland degradation along Main Street. Brush has been removed. Homeowners will stop cutting town trees and tell the neighbor to stop as well.

Question from Lisa A. Kelleher, Closing Paralegal for FRANK M.DIMARIA ESQ. 150 WESTFORD ROAD, STE. 27, TYNGSBORO, MA 01879, regarding COC for Bayberry Lane subdivision. Chair emailed WPA Form 8A to obtain specific lot information.

Spring/Summer issue of **"The Trust for Public Land."**

Invoice for MACC annual dues, \$160.

Invoice from Voss Signs for boundary markers.

Old Business:

NOI forms delivered by the Chair on 5-18-12, for 207 Whitney Road (Jesse Johnson) looking to perform fracking of well and needed work around wetland bounds to get the truck in place. Project proposed for the fall.

Forest Legacy up-date. Farm plan has now been included for the Track 1 plan.

Kids walk to the pond as Combined ConCom and Friends of the Ashby Library program, held on a rainy Saturdays June 2nd and June 30th for the talk&walk. Kudos to Cathy for the creation and delivery of an excellent presentation. All Commissioners in attendance. Trying to post on the town site. 2nd presentation still set for June 30th. Cathy is searching for a webcam of an eagle or the like as well as some pictures or samples of bird nests from Ashby.

The property boundary markers have arrived from Voss Signs. Motion was made and seconded to authorize purchase of aluminum nails. Vote was unanimous in favor. Roberta thought she might have a bucket of aluminum nails. She will check.

New Business:

Invoice for MACC annual dues, \$160. Motion to send in the annual dues when appropriate. Vote – 2 in favor, one abstention.

Bruce Adams would like to schedule a site visit for Linda Laasko for Cert of Compliance for check on the viability of the plantings. MP's Landscaping will be taking care of the lot. Would like to have it on June 16th @ 8:00am. Siltation fencing will have been removed. Walkway to the beach will be installed. He will be in touch with the Chair to confirm the site visit date and time.

Bill Davis – issues over roads repaired and use of materials. Trying to have him come to the Commission to discuss the roads.

Hearings: None

Hearings Scheduled: None

Site Visits:

Site Visits Needed:

Meeting was adjourned at 8:45

Respectfully Submitted,

Roberta Flashman