CONSERVATION COMMISSION MEETING

DATE: May 10, 2017

MEMBERS PRESENT: Brett St. Clair, Darlene Jarvis, George Holt, Ron Jarvis, Stan Sowle
Alternates Present: Margaret Watkins
MEMBERS ABSENT: Drew Groves
Alternates Absent: Matt Lavey

MINUTES: April’s minutes were accepted

OLD BUSINESS:

Kimball Pond Conservation Area

Wildlife habitat improvement

Stan Sowle checked on the availability of young trees from the state’s nursery. The nursery is sold out for 2017. Stan stated that there are no young chestnut trees available either.

Kimball Pond dam/boat launch

DES has not approved the after-the-fact application as yet. The dam is scheduled to be inspected by the state this year.

Pages and Hadley mill site

On May 6th Lee Martel, Brett St. Clair, Drew Groves, Mike Kaminski, Sharon Kaminski, Wayne Stadelmann and Mary Stadelmann met at the boat launch. They cut and removed the brush from the mill site. Lee Martell installed two signs provided by the Historical Awareness Committee.

Master plan revision of the Natural Resources chapter (Central NH Regional Planning Commission (CNHRPC))

Members present discussed what the Commission would prefer to see included in the Natural Resources chapter. Margaret Watkins had done considerable work on the chapter’s wording and will incorporate the suggestions made by Commission members before providing the revisions to CNHRPC’s Katie Nelson and Joanne Cassulo.
NEW BUSINESS:

Signage

Ron Jarvis asked if the Commission would be interested in purchasing a number of signs from Voss sign company. The Kuncanowet Committee is interested in having some non-motorized signs printed. The cost per sign is slightly less when a minimum number are ordered. Ron agreed to contact Voss to get more information.

NEXT MEETING: June 14, 2017, tentatively scheduled for 5:30 PM at Bela Brook Conservation Area

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED: Darlene M. Jarvis