Conway Conservation Commission

Thursday, September 28, 2021, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

MINUTES

Location: Town Hall All-Purpose Room

Facilitator: Grace Larson

Members Present: Bob Armstrong, Bruton Strange

Administrative Assistant: Lara De Lucca

Other Attendees: Sigurd Spearing

Meeting called to order 7:02 p.m. by Grace Larson

1. Review and approve minutes of previous meeting, September 14, 2021

Motion to approve minutes as submitted by Grace, seconded by Bob A., approved 3-0-0.

2. Financial Matters

• Checks received: \$70.00 (S. Spearing), \$67.50 (M. Lavigne) Motion to accept checks by Grace, seconded by Bob A., approved 3-0-0.

3. BOH/Building Permits/Site Reviews

- **a.** 26 Cemetery Hill Rd Garage foundation no action Property doesn't look like anyone is around, Grace is putting this aside until we hear something from them.
- **b.** 516 Main Poland Rd installation of above ground pool signed off
- **c.** 240 Reeds Bridge Rd New Deck awaiting diagram Grace asked for diagram, doesn't anticipate a problem as there are no resources that they're close to.

4. Forest Cutting Plans

None

5. Mail & Miscellaneous Matters

a. Nexamp update on Enforcement Order

They are supposed to be done with the plans by 9/30. Grace will send a reminder of the deadline and that ConCom will follow up to be sure it was done. They have been generating power at the site for several weeks with no concerns from abutters.

b. Annual Invasive Control at South River Meadow – Oct 4/5 Done by Lincoln Fish. Third treatment of South River Meadow.

6. Public Hearings and Meetings

7:10 NOI – Russ Evans – 69 Main St – Installation of septic system (continuation)

Hearing opened: 7:09

Issuing an Order of Conditions with special conditions attached. Russ Evans and Michael Lavigne have seen everything and have no issues. They know they will need to be in touch with ConCom before they do anything, and will need to put up erosion control.

Grace moves to approve the Order of Conditions with special conditions attached. Bob A. Seconds. Passes 3-0-0.

Hearing closed: 7:12

7:20 RDA – Sigurd Spearing – 257 Graves Rd – Tree Removal

Hearing opened: 7:20

ConCom did site visit. Removal of trees within 100-foot buffer zone and intermittent stream. The trees are causing problem with power lines and threatening the house. Plans the removal during frozen ground conditions, and will remove debris from site.

Will not be crossing stream, will not be using any heavy machinery. Will need to be careful that nothing goes into stream area.

Graces moves to approve with a Negative 3 (the work described is within the buffer zone but will not negatively impact an area subject to protection). Seconded by Bruton. Passes 3-0-0.

Hearing closed: 7:25

Motion to adjourn by Grace, seconded by Bruton, approved 3-0-0. Meeting adjourned at 7:30

Next regular meetings: October 12 & 26