Conway Conservation Commission Meeting Minutes, June 27, 2023, 6 p.m. Town Hall, 5 Academy Hill Road

Present for the Conservation Commission: Grace Larson, Tony Somers, Brittany Nickerson, Louise Beckett

At 6:05 p.m. Grace called the meeting to order.

Approval of Minutes from June 13, 2023

On a motion from Grace to approve the minutes of June 13, 2023, Tony seconded, all said aye, and the vote was unanimous in favor.

Financial

• Invoices: MACC \$211.00 (Annual Dues)

On a motion from Grace to approve payment of \$211.00 to MACC for annual dues, Brittany seconded, all said aye, and the vote was unanimous in favor.

Housing/Building Permits/Site Visits

• Building Permit – Morin – 576 S. Deerfield Rd – New shed – signed off No further discussion.

Forest Cutting Plans
None

Mail/Announcements
None

Miscellaneous Matters

• Nexamp Update

We are still waiting to hear from the engineering company regarding the construction of the basin. We have received no extension form for OOC from Jamie; it may need to have corporate approval. Erosion controls can be removed only after Nexamp does the construction to be sure no problems occur. The original design was not signed off on and certified.

• Enforcement Order – Edward Stuart - update

We are in a holding pattern on this one. The Commission's concerns were passed on to Town Counsel, Donna MacNicol but we have not heard back yet.

Bigelow Property

Grace made corrections to the proposal and felt that there was no reason not to sign off. On a motion from Grace to sign the proposal, Brittany seconded, all said aye and the vote was unanimous in favor. The proposal was signed by all members present. There may be some issues if the Town is going to maintain the property but the object for the Open Space Committee is to get Conservation behind their efforts.

• Welcome new member

The members of the Commission welcomed Louise Beckett as the fifth member of the Conservation Commission.

Hearings

• 6:10 p.m. – NOI – Delabarre Road Erosion and Repair - Continued

We are waiting to hear the latest news on this. The abutter letter that was sent only says an NOI is being submitted to the Conservation Commission. Abutters were advised that they can go to town hall for more information. The consulting engineer from the town didn't put his name on the NOI. There must be signed agreements from Bucky Storm and Russ French, as they are the abutters who will be impacted most.

At 6:45 p.m. on a motion from Grace to adjourn, Tony seconded, all said aye and the vote was unanimous in favor.

Next Meeting: scheduled for Tuesday, July 11, 2023, 6 p.m. in person at Town Hall, 5 Academy Hill Road, General Purpose Room. All interested parties are encouraged to attend.