

Minutes of the Forest and Trails Committee

Town of Conway

April 23, 2025

6:30 pm Town Hall

Present:

Members: Jen Heilig, Priscilla Lynch, Courtney Gilligan, Deb Donaldson

Associate Member, Cynthia Lawton-Singer

The meeting was moved to the Town Hall, due to problems with the key for the Town Offices.

Meeting called to order, 6:35 pm.

The corrected minutes of the 3/19/25 meeting were approved.

Deb reported that a new committee member has been identified. Jill Craig will attend the May meeting and then go through the process of being appointed.

Deb reported that the tree ID walk scheduled for 4/26 may need to be rescheduled due to weather. She has contacted the leader of the walk to see about rescheduling to the next day and will contact those who have registered about changes. Eleven people have registered to attend.

Courtney reported that the Bird Walk scheduled for 5/18 has gone to the Conway Currents and she will be doing posters for the event as well.

Deb reported that she will be picking up the trees and shrubs provided by the Woodlands Partnership on 5/2. Tubes and stakes for the trees will be included. We may need to get some protection for the shrubs.

The Grammar School Spring Fling will be on 5/4 at the grammar school. Deb and Courtney will represent the committee.

There will be a worker bee at the school on 5/17 beginning at 10am and the plan is to do the plantings then. The 6th grade has taken this on as a public service project.