

Woodstock Conservation Commission
Meeting Minutes
August 22, 2022 - 7:00 p.m.
Zoom virtual meeting

1. **Meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m.**
2. **Members present** - C. Adams, L. Barefoot, G. Jacobson, J. Pillo, P. Spaeth, J. Stern & L. Wesler
3. **Seating of alternates** – J. Kaeding
4. **Approval/Amendment of minutes** – J. Pillo motioned to approve, seconded by J. Stern. All in favor.
5. **Public Participation** – Pam Minella & Ray, Jenna Turner & Adam, Sabrina and others from Eversource, Teresa, Jean, Jim, Jinny from Chaplin and Jean de Smet from Woodstock all to hear from Eversource. The Eversource team presented an explanation and slide show explaining the project being proposed in several towns of which Woodstock will be one. They addressed the concerns voiced by several members and members of the public and were open to suggestions that were presented.
6. **Treasurer's Report** – \$1,914.00 in the new year budget and \$2,161.22 in the Special Fund 25.
7. **Chairperson's report** – Nothing.
8. **Communications** – Notice of C. Adams reappointment to the commission until March 2027, and a Thank you note from the Girl Scouts for our donation for their pollinator garden at Roseland Park.
9. **Old Business:**
 - a. DRC Report – None
 - b. OSLA&APC – Nothing new
 - c. P&Z report – Nothing pertaining to Conservation.
 - d. Ag Commission – Talk of the cancellation of Celebrating Agriculture this year and hoping to reinstitute next year.
 - e. Stewardship – No report.
 - f. Pollinator Pathway Project – J. Pillo spoke about the “Locally Grown” event that we had a display at and that it seemed to be successful.
 - g. Sustainable CT. – No new items.
 - h. Review of Locally Grown event – covered above.
10. **New Business**
 - a. Notice/review of past/upcoming workshops – J. Pillo told of an upcoming session relating to “Healthy Rivers from 9-11 – suggested contacting her to attend. There will be a Farm to Table event at Woodside & Dugg Hill Rd.
 - d. Open Discussion – Nothing further than discussed above.
11. **Adjournment** – 8:15pm pm motioned by J. Stern, seconded by C. Adams, all in favor. L. Wesler, Chairperson.

Link for Zoom meeting: <https://youtu.be/FpalP9SBNq0>

Note: These minutes have not yet been approved by the Conservation Commission. Please refer to minutes from the next meeting for approval/amendments. Respectfully submitted by G. Jacobson, WCC Secretary