

Woodstock Conservation Commission
Meeting Minutes
October 24, 2022 - 7:00 p.m.
Zoom virtual meeting

1. Meeting called to order at 7:01p.m.

2. Members present - C. Adams, L. Barefoot, G. Jacobson, J. Pillo, M. Robie, P. Spaeth, & J. Stern

3. Seating of alternates – J. Keading

4. Approval/Amendment of minutes – J. Pillo approved, M. Robie second, all in favor.

5. Public Participation – J. Rothstein & L. Heiss from Reddington shared their interactions with Eversource re. their proposed tree cutting project and all the complications they ran into in hopes that by sharing with us we might have more success in our endeavor to impact this project.

6. Treasurer's Report – \$1,754.00 in the new year budget and \$2,161.22 in the Special Fund 25.

7. Chairperson's report – No report as Chairperson was not in attendance.

8. Communications – Copy of CT Wildlife.

9. Old Business:

a. DRC Report – Was noted that there were concerns about Center Cemetery Road problems and it was also brought up that there were issues on Taylor Rd. but Conservation Comm was not contacted in either of these issues as yet.

b. OSLA&APC – No meeting

c. P&Z report – No report

d. Ag Commission – Nothing concerning Conservation.

e. Stewardship – No report.

f. Pollinator Pathway Project – J. Pillo will be giving a talk next month at the Garden Club meeting.

g. Sustainable CT. – No new items but going to website shows workshops for all interested.

h. Review of Eversource Plan – L. Barefoot composed a letter which was sent to all CC members for review before sending off to Selectman and Eversource. Discussion of and plan to have an informational open meeting for Town residents at Town Hall hopefully on Nov. 30th at 7pm (to be confirmed with Town Hall) and sending a letter to all property owners who will be affected by this project, hopefully by the end of this month.

10. New Business

a. Notice/review of past/upcoming workshops – CACIWC on 10/29/22. G. Jacobson attended MACC conference and noted that although MA Conservation Commissions operate differently than in CT., they did have some very useful information in general workshops.

d. Open Discussion – Nothing other than discussed above.

11. Adjournment – 8:55pm motioned by P. Spaeth, seconded by J. Pillo, all in favor.
M. Robie, Vice-Chairperson.

Link for Zoom meeting: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2Hx49VdlAcA>

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