

**Woodstock Conservation Commission  
Meeting Minutes  
June 18, 2018, 7:00 p.m., Meeting Room A**

**Members present** G. Jacobson, M. Robie, J. Stern & L. Wesler

**Members absent** - C. Adams, J. Audette, L. Davidson & A. J. Purcell

**1. Meeting called to order at 7:02p.m.**

**2. Seating of alternates** – None

**3. Public participation** – B. L. Webster joined us to hopefully wish to become a member, J. Pillo reported about the Rain Garden Workshop which was attended by six people, and the Rain Barrel workshop was attended by 20 people and the Floating Workshop was also well attended. A rain garden will be installed at Roseland Park.

**4. Approval/Amendment of minutes** - L. Wesler approved, G. Jacobson seconded, all in favor.

**5. Chairperson's Report** – B. Zimmerman handed in her resignation from the commission. L. Davidson informed the commission that she has been re-appointed. Nothing further at this time.

**6. Treasurer's Report** - \$228.88 in budget and \$192.26 in special fund

**7. Communications** – None received.

**8. Old Business:**

a. DRC Report – No report.

b. OSLA&APC – No report.

c. P&Z report – Nothing concerning conservation commission directly.

d. Report on the Forest Management– G. Jacobson reported that project is being finalized but has been delayed because of weather.

e. Ag Commission report - G. Jacobson reported that the Ag Commission is continuing a plot by plot review of all properties in Woodstock while also moving forward with planning their workshop event at the end of September. Angela Young attended to give an update on the opening of the Woodstock Creamery scheduled for Aug. 1<sup>st</sup>.

f. Salt Shed – Nothing further has been mentioned.

g. Stewardship report – Nothing new this month.

h. Ag Day display – it was determined that we will focus on littering problems along the roadsides, some pictures and info on the forestry plan that has been going on and also we will focus on explaining what it is that our commission does in an attempt to elicit new members.

**9. New Business:**

a. Notice/review of past /upcoming Workshops – A reminder that the CT. Invasive Plant conference will be held at UConn on Oct. 4<sup>th</sup> if any members are interested. There is to be a hike to Bull Hill on Thursday, July 12 at 6:30pm given by the Windham Land Trust.

b. Open Discussion – Discussion was continued on trying to implement a Cleanup Woodstock event as it has been very successful in surrounding towns was again brought up and all members seemed on board with trying to get this organized and suggested that we ask C. Adams if she might head up this effort as she has been so successful in her efforts to raise funds and get people involved with the schoolyard playground project .

**10. Adjournment** –L. Wesler motioned, J. Stern seconded, all in favor, meeting adjourned 8:00pm. *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*