

KITTERY CONSERVATION COMMISSION MEETING NOTES

March 18, 2021

TEMPORARY MEETING – ZOOM

Attendees- Cassandra Bliss; Don Moore; Nanci Lovett; Steve Hall Earledean Wells- Chair

4:00 I. CALL TO ORDER

II. PUBLIC TIME (ten minutes) -

III. CORRESPONDENCE AND COMMUNICATION (in brief)-follow up discussion from Judy ref: March 16th meeting on fertilizer (public & private property). Could HOA associations enforce; discussion surrounding violations and how surrounding towns enforce.

IV. REVIEW MINUTES – March 4, 2021- minutes approved and forwarded for posting on the Kittery town web site.

V. OLD BUSINESS:

1. Town Farm Forest - ‘unwanted contact with dogs public health and safety; continued discussion regarding leash law and hunting (Lewis Rd/Power line)
2. Rogers Park – dogs-leashes/waste –discussion continued reference posting dog signs and is it ok posting “it’s the law- pick up after your dog?”
3. Kendra’s Advisory Com (KLIC) – new “cluster” resident draft- add fertilizer standards and have the HOA associations enforce. Help preserve floodplains, vernal pools, rock walls, keep mature trees and scenic roads. Name change: Conservation Subdivision.
4. Adopt-A-Road– **Nanci, Steve** – follow up with new volunteers for Pocahontas Road and Lewis Road
5. Legions Pond/Parsons Pond watershed studies proposal/possible grant funds – still looking for grant funding for Legions Pond; it is a ‘no” for Parsons Pond
6. Spruce Creek algae growth – Zoom mtg. 2021- awaiting to be scheduled

VI. NEW BUSINESS:

1. Plan. Board Mtg. – March 11, 2021 –topics: protect wildlife habitat by having Maine Fish & Wildlife oversee all. Will involve Town Council and Planning Board at a workshop.
2. Board of Appeals – nothing new at this time
3. FB Envir Invasive species Parks/KCC –KCC March 7th letter was written in Support of funding and moved on to the Planning Board for review and recommendation to the Town Council.
4. Conservation Commission Budget Funds – Wetland bridge and Adopt-A Road sign’s funding is requested to be included in April budget.
5. Fertilizers – (noted above correspondence & communication)
6. Lobster Trap Cleanup- May 1, 2021

OTHER-

VIII. ADJOURN 5:05pm Submitted by: *Nanci Lovett*