Conservation Commission Minutes 2/17/21

Members present: Jay Schechter (chair), Katie Featherson, Jerry Branch, Felicity Pool, Denise Frankoff, Wendy White, Carole Monroe, Select Board representative

Old Business:

- Mud Pond Dam Carole, Jay
 - -Waiting for response from Bill from State of NH.
 - -Roger will clear the gate.
- Rotary Park
 - Property lines: Jay still waiting to hear from Edward Goodrich, the original surveyor.
- Separate accounting of funds from land transfers and budget carryovers Katie & Jay -Katie is getting familiar with the spreadsheets.
- Conservation Grants to be investigated Carole, Denise and Katie ongoing

New Business:

- Publicity Articles for Dublin Advocate
 - -Tour of Rotary Park, April, 2021 Jerry Branch
 - -Rotary Park warrant article, April, 2021 Jerry will circulate a draft to members.
 - -Management of invasives June or July, 2021
- Conservation planning/Open Space Plan Katie, Wendy, Felicity
 - -Wendy obtained a lot of materials to review maps and articles from when John Lewis was involved with DCC. Katie and Wendy will get together to review
 - -Will add Dublin School Nordic trails to open space plan.
 - -Felicity suggested we look at a 2017 study conducted by Comprehensive Engineering, Inc (CEI), commissioned by DLPC. The study detailed the remediation needed at the Lake and the sounding area.
- Rotary Park Jerry, Jay
 - -Warrant article: Warrant is supported by the Select Board but not by the budget committee. Jerry and Jay will create a handout for the town meeting.
 - -Rotary grant: Jerry is planning on submitting the grant. Jay and Jerry will obtain estimates for improving the trails (removing dead trees) and improving auto access.
- Organization of ConCom
 - -Jay distributed a spreadsheet.

At 5:48 Denise made a motion to conclude the meeting. Jay seconded. Motion passed.

Meeting Dates - Mar 17, Apr 21, May 19, Jun 16, Jul 21, Aug 18, Sept 15, Oct 20, Nov 17, Dec 15