



CITY OF DANBURY
DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

Conservation Commission

March 24, 2014
7:00 p.m.
City Hall – Room 3B
Meeting Minutes

The meeting opened at approximately 7:07 p.m.

Members present: Linda Murray - Chairwoman, Shaun McColgan - Secretary, Ed Moore, Brian Batterson, - Commissioners. Elyse Jasensky, Jack Robbins – Alternates.

Absent/Excused: Rich Hale- Alternate, Ed Prybylski – Vice Chairman, Peter Jennings, and Kim Botelho- Commissioners.

Guests: None

Item: Approval of minutes from February 24, 2014 meeting. Motion to approve by Ed M, seconded by Brian, and approved by all.

Public speaking: None.

Reports:

Still River Greenway (SRG): Nothing new to report at this time.

Old Quarry Nature Center (OQNC): There are new supplies for the field house. Three field trips have been confirmed so far and more are in the works. Someone has been hired to remove the carpenter bees at the field house.

Bear Mountain Reservation (BMR): The bird houses have been cleaned out.

NOTE: The commission is having signs made for both BMR and OQNC about the digging and rock removal problems.

Farrington Woods trails: Nothing new to report.

Budget Management:

The RFQ's for the mowing have been sent out. There is still money in our budget in the following categories: mowing, maps, maintenance and grounds, lands and buildings, and electric.

New Business:

New representative for SRA(Commission?): See above.

Eagle Scout projects: Nothing new to report.

CT Trails Day: Signs will be made and put up announcing CT Trails Day in June and what the various activities will be at OQNC and BMR. Ed M. will contact the News-Times to get the information out to the public.

Other concerns: Cell Tower- AT&T (Cingular Wireless) wants the city to endorse a new tower on the prison grounds (FCI). Packages with all the information was sent out by their attorneys to the city and various city agencies and commissions, including this one. No action to be taken by the CC at this time.



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Meeting adjourned at 7:47 PM on a motion by Ed M. and seconded by Brian.

Next Meeting: Monday, April 21, 2014, at 7:00 p.m., Room 3B, City Hall.

Submitted by: Shaun McColgan – Commission Secretary. 03/30/14