

**Conservation Commission
Meeting Minutes of November 14, 2012**

Present: Lester Garvin, Chair (LG)
Phil Lussier (PL)
Will Thayer (WT)
Dave Fessenden (DF)
Brian Clark (BC)
Guest; James LeBeau (JL)

The meeting is called to order at 7:35 pm.

1. Board reviews the October 24, 2012 minutes. BC moves to accept the amended minutes, WT seconds and all vote in favor.

2. Board reviews mail. LG shared a news item. There will be a meeting in the Town Hall on Nov. 26 at 7 p.m. to review the board of assessors' new digitized tax maps. There will also be a presentation of a query manager that should be of interest to many town boards. New England Cartographics will be the presenter.

3. WT reported that on Nov. 9 he met with Ray Gray at Steve and Diane Smither's home at 1059 Hawley Rd. There was a proposed septic tank replacement and he was asked to certify that no wetlands issue was involved. His determination was that there was no jurisdictional wetland or buffer zone on the site.

4. There has been no further word on the Pleasant St. culvert situation.

5. JL presented the board with plans for foundation repair at the Norbert Salz home at 144 Steady Lane Rd. He agreed with the board's request that he submit an RDA describing the proposed work. The board agreed to hold a hearing on the RDA in two weeks.

6. WT raised a concern that there seemed to be river bank modification occurring on the Swift River in Spruce Corner upstream from the Rte. 116 bridge. The commission agreed to inspect the site. LG offered to contact the landowner involved. He will let the rest of the commission know what the plan will be. PL agreed to email Mark Stinson for advice on the proper steps to follow in this case.

7. There has been no recent news regarding the repair work on Smith Rd. or the proposed pond construction on Lenny Roberts' property.

8. PL moves to adjourn the meeting, WT seconds and all vote in favor.

Meeting adjourns at 8:40pm.
Respectfully submitted,
Philip Lussier, Acting Secretary