

Corinth Conservation Commission
July 3, 2023 Draft Minutes

Present: Glynn Pellagrino, Ken Arkind, Mary Kent, Lindle Lawton- Sutton, Luise Graff.
Absent: John Melquist, Luke Campbell, Katharine Lea.

Call to order at 7:14

Approval of June meeting minutes, Glynn moved, Lindle seconded.

Agenda changes, Added reimbursement to Amy Peberdy for swap shop expenses. Orchard mowing bill. Treasurer report.

Ben Kilham talk. Glynn confirmed the talk is on for Saturday July 15th. Help is needed for set up. We aren't sure about refreshments and we may need someone to introduce Ben.

Treasurer update: No numbers in time for the meeting. Message from Dick Kelly we have somewhere about 13K for the combined accounts but this was not a firm number.

Act 171/ Planning Commission discussion. The planning commission will move ahead to work on town input and education about possible future zoning ordinances. The CCC will give input on Forest blocks and habitat protection. And will try to attend Planning Commission meeting to keep informed in the Fall. In the meantime we will keep working on identifying important parcels in town and doing outreach. Possibly have another presentation by Jens and Fish and Wildlife.

Act 126. Ken brought up ways we can be involved in the process with the state when they start looking at way to conserve the 30% by 2030. Including some form of a paper about how at town like Corinth might go about conserving land using the example of Orange County Headwaters project. We discussed other ways to encourage people to conserve their land. Including bringing people together with a meeting with the land trusts and direct outreach to land owners.

Bottles: John M. 7/1, Mary K. 7/8, Glynn P. 7/15, Ken A. 7/22, needed 7/29?

Adjourned at 8:36 Ken moved, Glynn seconded.