Corinth Conservation Commission
November 4, 2024 Meeting Minutes Approved
7:00 PM Corinth Town Hall

Present: Glynn Pellagrino, Mary Kent, Ken Arkind, Lindle Lawton-Sutton, Katharine Lea

Absent: Luke Campbell, Luise Graf

1) Call to Order @ 7:04 pm, land acknowledgement.

2) Approval of October minutes: Ken/ Lindle, unanimous approval except Katharine abstained.

3) 357 educational packets about Forest Blocks were mailed out; about 14 came back with incorrect addresses. Katharine and Lindle will work with Martha and KellyAnn to try to get updated addresses and re-mail. Ken was reimbursed for his production costs. Educational outreach (a presentation) for Forest Block/ Conservation is going to probably happen in early winter- Jan/Feb. Glynn has reached out to Jens to be a part of it. May also reach out to Land Trust. Potentially also Mike Snyder who used to be the Commissioner of Forests, Parks, and Recreation for VT, or the Center for EcoStudies. Two Rivers Ottauquechee is rewriting regional plan, so they might be useful too. Glynn and Ken will follow up.

4) Glynn was notified that we have to work on the paperwork in order to be able to reimburse the Community Coalition for the money paid to Matt Denton for the mural. Glynn will talk with the Selectboard. The mural has been transferred to WRVS due to the failure of the plywood. Jeff Spiegel also notified Glynn that he is coordinating local artists to contribute a no-cost mural to the container and will be organizing a Spring paint day.

5) We need to write up a job description for the Orchard Manager position. Lindle will reach out to Luise to help put this together, as Luise will know what duties the position should include (pruning, crop management, picking up drops, fertilization, etc.) as well as give us a better understanding of the hours required, so we can budget a reasonable amount for the position.

6) Bottles- Nov 2- Lindle, Nov 9- Glynn, Nov 16- Mary, Nov 23 – Ken, Nov 30- Katharine

7) The meeting was adjourned at 7:55 PM- Glynn/ Katharine.