

OSSIPEE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

OCTOBER 8, 2014

Chairman Ron Adams opened the meeting at 7:00 PM at the Ossipee Town Hall.

Members Present: Ron Adams, Donna Gridley, Ron Larravee, Bob Pratt, and Tom Belluscio

Ron Larravee made a motion to approve the minutes of the September 2014 meeting. Bob Pratt seconded the motion and it passed.

The financial report for September was not available yet. **Ron Adams made a motion to reimburse Ron Adams \$22 for Reading the Forested Landscape by Tom Wessels. The motion was seconded and passed.**

The budget for 2015 was discussed. It will basically remain the same, with one change – The amount for Water Quality Testing will be raised \$200. **Ron Adams made a motion to raise the secretary's salary by \$1.00 per hour without raising the total amount. Tom Belluscio seconded the motion and it passed. Ron Larravee made a motion to submit the Conservation Commission Budget for \$5490. Bob Pratt seconded the motion and it passed.**

Applications

A. Intent to Cut:

- Ossipee Aggregates – RT. 16 – map 266/7, 274/12,11,10,9 – 150 of 1529 acres - Greenleaf Products
- Coldan Farm Family Trust – Polly's crossing – map 252/28 – 10 of 26.5 acres – Tim Nolin
- Backland Walker Hill Rd – map 243/3 – 10 of 44 acres – Tim Nolin
- James Loftus rev. Trust – Roland Park Rd. – map 107/44 & 45 0.344 acres & 0.37 acres 8 cord – Ned Campion

B. State Notices

- Wetlands application (expedited) – impact 14,585 sq. ft. – small wildlife pond (13,000 sq. ft. 195 ft. by 70 ft. by 10 ft. deep – install 3 access culverts. Conservation Commission signed application
- Permit by Notification – JB & TA Enterprises - Westward Shores Campground, West Ossipee – Map 29/1 - dry work, retaining wall replacement

1. Committee Reports/Work

- Several important properties were identified to be contacted – working with DHPWT

2. Old Business

- Sumner Brook logging
Chairman Ron Adams met with the Selectmen to answer questions they have about Sumner Brook about the lease and the money from the logging
- Sumner Brook Solar Project – Ron will meet with the Pruniers
- Beech River yearly inspection completed

- Scott Property trail on the easement has been blocked to vehicles with large posts by Conservation Commission work
- Windows work is completed for the fall: gravel is spread and sumac is pulled. Ossipee Aggregates has donated the rest of the gravel.
- Yearly Calendar-additions/review
- Lake Host Report was completed and sent in.
- Work on Easements identified in Ossipee records basically completed. Next step could be at Registry of Deeds.

3. Informational

- Workshops
 - 11.1.14 NH Association of Cons. Comm. – Laconia Middle School Register online Choose from more than 30 great workshops Anyone interested in carpooling?
 - 11.6.14 GMCG “Shared Natural Resources Workshop – Runnels Hall, Chocorua Free Led by Steve Whitman 6-8PM
 - Woodlands Magazine

Next meeting date: November 12.

Ron Larravee made a motion to adjourn at 8:35. Tom Belluscio seconded the motion and it passed.

Pat Jones, secretary