

FRANKLIN CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Meeting Minutes

November 12, 2019

Present: Nita Tomaszewski, Mike Mullavey (by phone), Roy Gilbreth (by phone), Glenn Morrill, Bob Morin

Next meeting: December 10, 2019 - 7:30 pm, City Hall Basement

Meeting called to order by Nita at 7:55pm

Minutes of the September 10, 2019 meeting were distributed for review. Roy moved and Mike seconded the motion to approve the meeting minutes. The motion passed.

I Old Business

The Commission reviewed the DES Wetlands Application for Solar Installation on 293 Sanborn Street and Duffy Street. No action required.

Update on Wetlands Permit Application, File Number 2019-02573, Franklin Falls Hydro Electric, 223 Central Street – The Commission noted that work as detailed in the application is complete. No action required.

II New Business

NH Association of Conservation Commissions FY 2020 Membership Dues - Roy moved and Glenn seconded the motion to approve payment of the dues in the amount of \$375. The motion passed. Bob will contact the Finance Department for processing the payment.

Reappointment of Conservation Commissioners Morrill and Morin – The terms of service will be to September 2022

Expected upgrades to powerlines located in Montgomery Road Forest by Eversource – The Commission was informed that Eversource intended to replace/upgrade existing powerline structures in the Great Gains and Montgomery Road Forests. In the absence of receipt of the DES application, the Commission discussed Eversource's intent to increase the height of some structures to exceed the current 50' permissible height. Further discussion will take place upon receipt of the application.

III Other Business

Mill City Park Update – Glenn informed the Commission that he accompanied a group walk-through of the proposed park area. He noted that approximately 20 invasive species were discovered and plans call for the areas are to be mowed.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 8:22 pm.