Minutes, Atkinson Conservation Commission July 7, 2009 Atkinson Town Hall

Call To Order by Chairman Tim Dziechowski at 7:37

Attending:

Tim Dziechowski Dan Kimball Scott Kukshtel Pete McVay Michelle Veasey

Guest Business and Plan Reviews:

Spencer Morrison of Amberwood Drive had been contacted by Tim concerning unauthorized dredge and fill. Michelle had pictures. Tim explained the state law and process for dredge and fill and waiver. Morrison was concerned about West Nile and EEE affecting families near wetlands. He claimed he was diverting the water, not draining it. He was given the DES phone number in Concord and advised to apply for a dredge and fill permit.

Charlie Moreno forestry plan was deferred. Tim may contact Curt Springer of the Danville Commission to contact Charlie.

Tim has the **plot plan from Blunts Pond**, **Map 9**, **parcel 29**. The owner Claire Hamilton wants to give it to the town. Pete raised some concerns about the cost of ownership and maintenance of the area. The pond is surrounded on three sides by a stone wall. Claire set conditions and Tim will check with Sumner on the agreement. The books have to be found on tax advantages so Claire gets the tax write-off on the donation. A motion was made to authorize the chairman to accept the donation on Map 9 Lot 29 and to ask the Selectmen to formally accept the plot. Motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

Chet Ladd burial is scheduled for July 25th at 11:00 AM.

Private Session: Conservation Easements / Land Purchases

Commission went into private session under RSA 91-A:3, II (a) (d) to discuss land and possible gift lands. It was moved and seconded to go into private session, Passed unanimously.

Private session was closed at 9:31 by motion that passed unanimously (5). A motion was made to seal the minutes of the private session. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

Internal Business

Secretary report: June minutes are deferred.

Treasurer's report: none

Other: The September meeting will be Tuesday, September 1, 2009, at 7:30.

Appointments still being negotiated and need paperwork.

Conservation Easements / Land Purchases

CTAP grant Phil Auger recommends that RPC come out and do the NRI planning.

Review of Correspondence

Planning Board Agenda Items: Eggies is moving to Atkinson across from the Post Office.

Zoning Board Agenda items: Mason is on the agenda for tomorrow. Change the porch to a three-season porch.

Prime wetlands: Frank has it and underwent technical review.

DES HAWC went to a public hearing.

Slade Town Forest federal paperwork has gone missing, but our folder is up to date with all the correct information. The DES water quality engineer (Richard Roy) wanted to see the Federal status of the land, which is why the folder is needed.

Jane Jones Lot is still undecided and the deed package has to go to Sumner.

The next meeting of the Commission will be Monday, August 3rd, at 7:30.

The meeting adjourned at 10:04.

Respectfully submitted,

Pete McVay