

Killingworth Conservation Commission
Town Office Building
323 Route 81, Killingworth CT 06419

KCC Meeting minutes for Thursday, October 13, 2022

This was a virtual meeting.

1. Call to order: 7:05pm
2. Attendance: Maureen Farrell-Charney, Roslyn Reeps, Stephanie Warren, Alec Martin, and Guy Vecchitto
Absent: Marilyn Campbell, and Jim Fullmer
3. Visitors: None
4. Approval of minutes of September 8,2022: Vecchitto made motion to approve, Marin seconded. Motion approved. M.farrell- Charney abstained.

5. Communications/Correspondence

* General Correspondence Update:

- Organization Information: CACIWC, CFPA, Rockfall:

CACIWC: Stephanie informed us that CACIWC'S Annual meeting will be on October,29,2022. It will be an all- day workshop. Stephanie forwarded all the information to us for review. Roslyn would like to attend and Stephanie might be able to attend.

Rockfall: Guy reports that two local citizens received Rockfall's 2022 Environmental Champions Award. They were Geoff Pichard and Jen Malaguti. Rockfall will be hosting two events at Wadsworth Falls State Park on 10/15/22 and 10/16/22. These events will be for trail clean -up and invasive plants removal. All are encouraged to attend.

- Legislative/Conservation news from CLCV: Maureen Farrell-Charney reports the CLCV is having their Environmental Achievement Award on November 15,2022. For those interested, tickets for the fundraiser are \$150/ person.

6. Reports of Officers, Committees, and Organizations

- Parmelee Farm: Jim Fullmer: No report
- Historical Society: Jim Fullmer: No report

- LCVRPC: Alec Martin, Stephanie Warren: Alec reports there was much discussion on the Affordable Housing Plan. The 17 towns would each like to have two representatives to work on this plan.

- KCC Education Projects: Stephanie Warren: No Projects planned for this season.

- KLCT: Marilyn Campbell: Stephanie received a report from Marilyn on the KLCT. The Land Trust will have a final purchase closing on the Keystone Property in November. The Cranberry Harvest has been cancelled due to the drought which caused the cranberries to dry up. They hope to have it next year.

Maureen informed us that Deer Lake will be having an opening event on Sunday October 30th from 10 am to 4 pm.

7. Old Business: Stephanie provided an update on the status of Sustainable CT. The Board of Selectmen has selected our Town's team. Maureen and Roslyn will be part of the team.

8. New Business

- General Member Announcements: Alec asked Stephanie if the town is in the process of making any changes at the Transfer Station regarding fees for dumping etc. Stephanie reported she is not aware of any changes.

Stephanie found some information on recycling jack-o-lantern pumpkins which she will send to us for our review. Hopefully we can also share this with others.

Stephanie also would like us to think about any projects we could bring to the public.

Stephanie will send out the project proposal form to our committee tomorrow; along with the CACIWC information and registration form.

9. Adjournment: Maureen made a motion to adjourn. Alec seconded. Meeting Adjourned at 7:36pm

Next KCC Meeting: Thursday, November 10,2022, at - 7:00 pm. This may be another virtual meeting.

Respectfully Submitted by: Guy Vecchitto