

**Tamworth Conservation Commission**  
**Tamworth, NH 03886**

Meeting June 20, 1994. Present: John Mersfelder, Lori Gerard, Chris Conrod,  
Ned Beecher, Betty Steele. Guest-Charles Townsend

1. Minutes of last meeting were approved.
2. Easements. Signs: TCC wants sign on Route 113 at corner of Bunker Hill Road. Ned will tell Martha Carlson, or perhaps offer her a choice of that or one other location. Agreed to meet Sunday, June 27, 2 p.m. at Scott Aspinall's driveway to put up signs. Eric Anderson: no word from him as yet; John will check with Mrs. Anderson or with Cam Greene. It is not known as yet whether Boy Scouts will help. TCC needs aren't urgent - the project could wait until fall. On the Aspinall sign it was agreed the special wording could be put on later.
3. Easements - Mill Brook. It was agreed to look into current ownership of land which belonged to Marion Spaulding.
4. Wetlands - So. Tamworth Fire Station. John called David Bowles as discussed at the last meeting and then wrote to confirm; but has had no response. Perhaps none is needed since Dave has been notified of a potential problem. Chris had checked the Fire Station and said the junk behind it has been cleared up.
5. Wetlands Board has new rules, as of 12/31/93, of which John has a copy. There are few changes in it from rules already in effect.
6. Wetlands Board notices. Report on Edwin Remick pond project was acknowledged. Kennedy application is now approved. Marion Smith and Aspinall, both minimum impact applications, have been approved.
7. Violation. Ned reported a landowner just before the red house on 113A had apparently filled in a small wetland, back in at right. John and Ned will pursue this to find name of owner, talk with him and feel out the situation.
8. Lilac program. These were not put at school, but school got permission for other locations. John will check to see where they were planted.
9. Hemenway - proposed timber cut, near TCC Spur Trail to the left as one goes up it. There was a map of the proposal, a 38.5 acre area, with two skid crossings of the Spur Trail. It was agreed to call to ask the State as a part of their marking that the Spur Trail is not encroached upon, to be sure lumbermen understand the terms of State permit to TCC, to discuss mitigation of effect of crossings, to request only one skid road crossing instead of two, to minimize the impact on the trail, to reduce the size of skid trail, proper slash disposal, and to find out what State will do to restore trail to its condition before lumbering started. And also to request to meet with State officials to find out more details of the plan.  
  
Hemenway - trail (Loop Trail) needs more clearing, chain saw work in two places. Lori has no more brochures; John will check to see if he has any. Bridge painting can be decided on at July meeting.
10. Mapping - the company that did the town tax map will do a debriefing for the town this Thursday, 6 - 7 p.m.
11. Household Hazardous Waste collection will be July 30th. It is hoped there will be more information before the next TCC meeting.

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12. Forest for the Future. The School Board is meeting this Wednesday, 6 p.m. to discuss it. Possibly the funding will be questioned. However, Tin Mt. has reworked the plan and changed some of the timing, as a result of objections made to it. Anyone who wishes to express an opinion on it can go to the meeting. This is the 8th grade project, not the one TCC helped.
13. Conservation Commission aid for Conservation Camp Scholarship. This went to Kim Johnson; it was felt it was well deserved. TCC contributed \$125.
14. Members of TCC. Charles Townsend was asked how he felt about being a member, after listening to the full meeting. He had already read the minutes from 1990 to 1994, so understood most of what was talked about. He was interested in being a part of it, and it was agreed to ask the Selectmen to appoint him to the Commission. He is busy weekends, but could help at other times. He is assistant director of the EMS Climbing School in North Conway. He lives on Cleveland Hill Road (former McLaughlin house); address is RFD 1, Box 257, Tamworth, Tel. 323-7576.

Ned said Kevin Ash, a drafter with White Mt. Survey might possibly be a TCC member or alternate. He lives near Moores Pond.

Betty Steele