
Tamworth Conservation Commission
Tamworth, NH 03886

DRAFT MINUTES - MEETING October 14, 1996

PRESENT: Chris Conrod, Charlie Townsend, Roy Ames, Jr., Betty Steele, Alan Smith
John Roberts - Selectman

1. Minutes approved with the exception that the last two words of item # 10 be changed from "this meeting" to "a future meeting."
2. Trails - agreed that trail committee should meet to firm up the brochure before the next meeting. Trail committee members are John Mersfelder, Alan Smith, Chris Conrod and Betty Steele.
3. Sludge. Chris said that on October 28th Lakes Region planning was offering a workshop, 7 - 9 p.m., on sludge, sponsored by Lakes Region Planning, DES and White Mt. Resources, inc. John may go.
4. N. H. Association of Conservation Commissions Annual Meeting, November 2nd. Betty will go and will send in registrations for others who go. Charlie and Roy may go, and if so will let Betty know by October 21st. There is a fee per member which TCC will pay. John may go, but will not return until October 27th, which is beyond the first deadline for registration. Late registrations cost \$3 more.
5. Meeting announced - N. H. Fish and Game invites Conservation Commission members to a meeting on planning for future conservation efforts on November 6th, 7 p.m. at Kennett High School.
6. Wetlands. Chris said DES will send applicants a receipt for application stating any problems and that conservation commissions have 40 days to report, give report and waiver, has concerns, or has not been heard from. If TCC reports to Wetlands promptly it will get a copy of this notice.
7. Forestry Minimum Impact. Chris announced the following for which DES has acknowledged receipt: William Matthey, tax map C2, Lot 10, Don Johnson-forester, logger; Richard Horn, tax map 414, Lots 90 & 91, Danielovich-for Forest Land Improvement; Tamworth, N H Land Trust, Lawrence Flaccus, Tax Map 412, Lot 30, Danielovich. Chris said the Flaccuses have given land on the west side of Mill Brook to the Lakes Region Conservation Trust.
8. Household Hazardous Waste Report. Chris said 16 people from Tamworth brought waste to Moultonboro and 22 to Ossipee, for a total of 38. This compares favorably to other towns. Cost to each town is based on the number of people using the system.
9. Easements - Chocorua Lake Conservation Foundation. Alan said there are some abutters on the Chocorua River in the northeast corner of town who are interested in giving easements and one, a Mr. Tewksbury has given land. He felt this might be a joint project with the Conservation Commission. Chris, who is chairman of committee for TCC easements, said it was his personal opinion that the Town should hold easements only as a last resort, as there are several other organizations with professional staff to handle easements. TCC could help the Foundation in any way.
10. Ducks and Pollution. Alan said ducks were causing pollution in Chocorua Lake and asked for TCC advice. However TCC has no experience with this as the two lakes in towns are under Foundation, and State supervision.