



## KILLINGLY CONSERVATION COMMISSION

WEDNESDAY, November 17, 2021  
7:00pm

### REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

- I. **Call to Order:** The meeting was called to order at 7:04pm.
- II. **Roll Call:** Donna Bronwell, Jean Mountford, Mike Montville, Chris McDonald, Ann-Marie Aubrey (Director of Planning and Development), Allison Brady (Natural Resources Officer/ Planning Assistant), Richard Fedor (citizen), Ed Grandelski (Town Council Liaison, arrived at 7:47).
- III. **Citizens Comments/ Participation-** All public comment can be emailed to [publiccomment@killinglyct.gov](mailto:publiccomment@killinglyct.gov) or mailed to Town of Killingly, 172 Main Street, Killingly, CT 06239 on or before the meeting. All public comment received prior to the meeting will be posted on the Town's website [www.killinglyct.gov](http://www.killinglyct.gov)
- IV. **Minutes**
  - a. **October 20<sup>th</sup>, 2021–Regular Meeting Minutes:** Mike made a motion to pass the minutes, Jean seconded, passed 4-0.
- V. **Business**
  - a. **Quandoc Conservation Property – Walktober Event Sunday, October 24<sup>th</sup> at 1PM:** Walktober went well. Mike hasn't been to the property recently so no major updates.

Mike made a motion to add "1892/Sherman Memorial Property" to the agenda, Jean seconded, passed 4-0.

- b. **1892 / Sherman Memorial Property:** Richard Fedor showed pictures of the property. There are lots of trees down that need to be removed from the trail and foundation. ECFLA will do some work. Allison, Richard, and Mat Dube will go look at the trees on the foundations and determine if it's something DPW will be able to do.
- c. **Litchfield Avenue Property - Update:** Jean hasn't been to the property in a while so no major update. Some more board has been added to the trail. A walk was scheduled for Saturday, December 4<sup>th</sup> at 10AM so the rest of the KCC can see the in-progress trail.
- d. **Chase Reservoir:** Jake Gadbois did not attend meeting so no updates. Allison submitted a grant application for funds for a forestry management plan to be written.
- e. **Eastconn Summer Youth Work:** No new updates.
- f. **KCC Members Update:** New alternate member appointed, Chris McDonald. There is still one alternate vacancy.
- g. **Future Activities – Bus Tours:** Bus tour went well. Discussed scheduling another one at the beginning of the year. Ann-Marie will talk to the Rec Department about Mike's snowshoeing idea. Mike will keep researching how to get snowshoes.

Jean made a motion to add "Website Ideas" to the agenda, Mike seconded, passed 4-0.

- h. **Website Ideas:** Went over Donna's list of ideas, added some more ideas, discussed utilizing the blog on the website. Website ideas will be revisited in December.
- i. **Environmental Award:** An ad is typically placed in the Turnpike Buyer for the Environmental Award. A couple possibilities of recipients were discussed. The Environmental Award will be revisited in December.
- j. **Chairperson Updates:** Donna gave a brief update on people buying open space land for preservation.
- k. **Staff Report:** No new updates.

VI. **Correspondence to the Commission:** None.

VII. **Other**

- a. **Next Town Council meeting – December 7<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup>, 2021**
- b. **Next KCC meeting – December 15<sup>th</sup>, 2021**
- c. The meeting dates for 2022 were looked at. Chris made a motion to approve the meeting dates for 2022, Jean seconded, passed 4-0.

VIII. **Town Council Liaison –** No update.

IX. **Adjournment:** Jean made a motion to adjourn the meeting; seconded by Mike; passed 4-0; the meeting was adjourned at 8:54pm.