

Danville Conservation Commission Notes (DCC)

Location: Town Hall Meeting

12/6/2021

Attendance: Vange Morse, Deb Bixby, Bridget Ferrin, Paul Weaver, Chris Kirk

1. Passed minutes from October 4th
2. Chris Kirk was here to express his concerns with the proposed parking area on Partidge Lane. He reiterated that all of the neighbors on his road are opposed to putting the parking area anywhere along that road because of concerns of increased traffic and partying teenagers. Unfortunately, Keith Gadapee did not make it to the meeting so we were not able to get into other proposed parking locations at the Stump dump access road. Vange will reach out to Keith and see if she can get some feedback from him via e-mail since that might be the best way to move things forward. Chris stated that he will be meeting with Matt Langlais and Heath once the logging begins to address any border concerns he might have.
3. We introduced Paul Weaver, a prospective conservation member, to our planning of trails and signage at Pumpkin Hill as well as at Rogers Lot eventually.
4. Bridget is going to try to get her friend Luke to come to our next meeting January 3rd to speak about his knowledge of trail building and permits and planning that will need to take place to create new trails either on Pumpkin Hill and at Rogers Lot.
5. We talked about the kiosk we would like to put at Pumkin Hill and what information it should contain. Kiosk: Map, Rules, EMS Location, Ticks and protection, something about wildlife, bifold. Dawn to dusk? Courtesy in the town forest, No motorized vehicles. Points of interest, etc. Poor Farm write up and pictures.
6. Paul volunteered to check in with the historical society to get them to do a picture and a write up for the kiosk.

7. Bridget is continuing to gps the trails
8. We discussed wanting to upgrade the Pumpkin Hill Trail signage and trail marking, making signs for the Points of interest along the Pumpkin Hill trails, Building Daves commemorative trail along the wetland and boardwalk costs. Perhaps contacting Alex Wright for boardwalk material.
9. Community outreach and information like having a recreation section on the town website so people can figure out where the town forests are located.
10. Vange will reach out to Dave with verbage about access road sign.
11. Next Meeting January 3rd.

