

Litchfield Conservation Commission

April 1, 2010

7:00 p.m. Town Hall

2 Liberty Way

Members Present: Joan McKibben Chairman
Tom Levesque – Vice Chairman
Sharon Jones
Marion Godzik
Roger St. Laurent
Richard Husband
Michael Croteau – Alternate

Selectmen's Rep: Frank Byron

Absent: Stephen Tarara – Alternate

Minutes approved 5/6/10

Called to order 7:07 PM

Items Discussed:

- 1. Map 2 Lot 83 and 128** – LCC got the blessing of BOS in December 2009 to purchase the property. Title search reveals MDP owns the property not Mario and Denise Plante. Title search does not match the legal description from Kim (former owner) to MDP. Property was deeded to Kim and sold to MDP as a Warranty Deed. Number 34099 is the plan that was recorded in 7/2004. Bedford Design is the 'stamp' on the plan. Property was once a 100 acre tract of land that was deeded to Kim. Lot 81 is the Guilbeault property/abutter to 'paper street' not buildable now because the title is not clear. Tax Map shows a 'hash' mark on Guibeault's property that was recorded in 1964. Town of Litchfield should get a confirming review by a licensed surveyor. LCC will discuss again in May.
- 2. Map 12 Lot 25 – Trail System Naming** (57 Acres) Miltemore Lot – Stephen Calawa, President of the Litchfield Historical Society is looking into it, LCC to continue discussion until May meeting.
- 3. Map 12 Lot 12 - Muster Field** (8 Acres) LCC agrees to the name, Thornton's Ferry Muster Field.
- 4. Moore's Falls** - clean up from storm of 2/25/10- Roger St. Laurent has cut up several trees that had come down, more needed but they are in a foot of water. LFD needs to have access to the area. Storm damage out by the Colby end, but this is actually the Colby Property and not the Towns.
- 5. Fishing Derby May 8, 2010** - Joan McKibben has already sent for the permit and the Primey Liability Certificate, and will contact Gene Ducharme (property owner). Sharon Jones, Marion Godzik, Richard Husband and Michael Croteau will be at the fishing derby. Marion Godzik will take care of getting the worms. LCC to ask for donations for next years prizes, for cleaning the fish this year. Roger St. Laurent will post the signs at the pond, asking folks not to fish until after

the derby. Joan McKibben to contact GMS to let them know when the derby will be held. Last year GMS made up handouts to send home with the children. Joan will also ask Sumner Brook Fish Farm to tag a couple of the larger fish. Sharon Jones will send out letters asking for prize donations. For that day we will need a donation bucket.

6. Clean up 3A – LCC to meet Sunday 4/11/2010 at 8:00 at the library, if its pouring out we will meet on 4/18/2010.
7. RAARP (Reptile and Amphibian Reporting Program) new study for 2010 – handout
8. “Homeowners Guide to Protecting Frogs” brochure by US Fish & Wildlife Service, maybe LCC to send along with a letter to Blackbird Lane Residents or to the realtors that work in that area, it’s highly populated with frogs.
9. **Re-appointments for 2010** – Sharon Jones and Roger St. Laurent. Joan McKibben Motions to re-appoint Sharon Jones, Tom Levesque 2nds the Motion, Motion carries 5-0-0. Tom Levesque Motions to re-appoint Roger St. Laurent, Marion Godzik 2nds the Motion, Motion carries 5-0-0. **Nominations** – Tom Levesque Motions to nominate Sharon Jones for Secretary, Joan McKibben 2nds the Motion, Motion carries 5-0-0. Richard Husband Motions to nominate Tom Levesque for Vice Chairman, Roger St. Laurent 2nds the Motion, Motions carries 5-0-0. Marion Godzik Motions to nominate Joan McKibben as Chariman, Tom Levesque 2nds the Motion, Motion carries 5-0-0.

Any Other Business:

- a. Rt 3A trees cut in the buffer, Map 9 Lot 82 ongoing enforcement issue, Kevin Lynch (Building inspector) is trying to get in touch/speak to the owner re; tree buffer.
- b. Grace Church looking to put on an addition
- c. Correspondence – Frank Byron received a bulletin from NH Fish and Game; they are looking for volunteers to help release salmon in several rivers and streams throughout NH, various dates in April and May.

Roger St. Laurent Motions to accept 3/4/10 Minutes as amended, Tom Levesque 2nds, Motion carries 5-0-1.

8:42 PM Roger St. Laurent Motions to adjourn, Tom Levesque 2nds, Motion carries 5-0-0.

Next Meeting(s) 5-6-10 LCC to discuss prizes for fishing derby.

Submitted by: Sharon M. Jones, Secretary