



Mason Conservation Commission Minutes – D R A F T

Aug. 14, 2013
7:00 pm to 8:30 pm

In Attendance

- Bob Dillberger
- Bob Larochelle
- Anna Faiello
- Ann Moser
- Rob Doyle
- Liz Fletcher

Voted unanimously to accept July minutes.

Discussed the small "step" left at each end of the Jackson Rd. RR bridge caused by the difference in size between the old timbers and the new. Agreed to discuss solutions, including grading, with Eric Anderson (this work was not included in his original proposal and so would result in additional expense). Bob L. also reminded us that we still need to remove and return the "Road Closed" signs at the gates on each side of the bridge. Bob D. volunteered to fetch the signs since he lives nearby.

Discussed draft usage policy for the Mason quarry (from Martha Jacques). The draft is fine with some amendments. In particular, agreed to replace all references to "Office of the Selectmen" with "the Mason Conservation Commission". Also, in the first provision, replace "...a non-resident..." with "...non-residents..." (i.e., make this exception plural). Voted unanimously to accept the amended policy (see below). Agreed to ask for a slot on the Selectmen's calendar to present this proposed policy ASAP after the land transfer occurs.

Discussed some possible plans for a public "thank you" ceremony and quarry hike on Old Home Day. Will mention this to Barbara to see if she's willing to take charge of planning this activity.

POLICY REGARDING AUTHORIZED USES OF PROPERTY LOCATED AT SCRIPPS LANE

The property is open to the use of Mason residents only. An exception is made for non-residents who are the guests of a Mason resident. The guests must be accompanied by the resident at all times while using the property.

Users of the property are subject to all applicable laws, regulations, and Town Ordinances.

No alcohol is permitted on the property.

Parking is to be in the authorized areas only.

Use of the property is limited to the hours between dawn and dusk unless prior approval is obtained in writing from the Mason Conservation Commission.

No fires are authorized without written permission of the Mason Conservation Commission.

There is no lifeguard on duty. Any swimming is done at the sole risk of the swimmer.
No diving is allowed.

All trash and/debris is to be removed from the property by the user.

NOTICE:

FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH ALL APPLICABLE LAWS, OR ANY OF THE TERMS OF THIS POLICY SHALL CONSTITUTE TRESPASS PURSUANT TO NEW HAMPSHIRE REVISED STATUTES ANNOTATED 635:2.

Approved by the Board of Selectmen,

Date