



**Mason
Conservation
Commission
Minutes – D R A F T**

Oct. 12, 2016
7:00 pm to 10:00 pm

In Attendance

- Bob Dillberger
- Barbara DeVore
- Bob Larochelle
- Lundy Lewis
- Liz Fletcher
- Anna Faiello

Voted unanimously to accept Sept 12 & 21st minutes as amended.

Discussed the 2017 budget. Agreed to add line items for some known upcoming expenses.

Agreed to send Brenda (town accountant) a letter authorizing her to pay off the bond on the Mitchell Brook Wilderness at her earliest convenience. There is \$4,823.42 remaining on the principal.

Bob L. reports Eversource has started work to remove the road and work pad on the Doonan and Spaulding Brook easements as we requested.

Haven't heard from the E-31 landowners with regard to our suggestion to consult a lawyer about frontage impact of giving the easement for the Mason Quarry parking area. No action to take until we hear back from them.

Re. revisions to Fifield easement: Reviewed Liz's letter to the Attorney General, making various improvements. Because the proposed revision appears to be a "more risk" revision (a DOJ categorization), the AG's early review is strongly recommended.

Re. logging on Spaulding Brook land off Mitchell Hill Rd, received a check from Chappell for \$3,586.86 in payment for 3rd stumpage for chips and a check for \$5,531.29 in payment for 3rd stumpage for logs, money to be deposited in the land protection fund.

Reminder: Trail work this Sunday at the Florence Roberts Forest.

Drug takeback day is the last Saturday of this month 10-2. Barbara will continue her usual superb advertising.

Bob D. & Barbara will attend the NHACC meeting this year.