

MINUTES OF THE WOODBRIDGE CONSERVATION COMMISSION
TOWN HALL MAIN MEETING ROOM
April 20, 2023

Members present were the following: Chairman Tim Austin, Commissioner Paul Harrigan, Sharon deKadt, Barbara Hagan, Diana McCarthy-Bercury, Valerie King, Joi Prud'homme & Liaison David Lober

The meeting came to order at 07:30pm

The Greenway Plan- submission of the plan has not happened yet. Chairman Tim Austin will be attending the next Board of Selectman meeting to answer any questions before submitting to the State.

There was no public comment.

There was a brief introduction of the newest member to the Woodbridge Conservation Committee --Joi Prud'homme.

Chairman Tim Austin made the **MOTION** to **Approve** the Minutes from March 16, 2023, and Valerie King **SECONDED** the **MOTION. All in Favor.**

Diana McCarthy-Bercury made a **MOTION** to Support the purchase of equipment for the Town Trailmaster that was included in the list was provided and it is not to exceed \$1000 from the Conservation Committee's Equipment Account. Sharon deKadt **SECONDED** the **MOTION. All In Favor. 7 Yes 0 No.**

There are no updates on the following item: Town Trail Group or 124 Seymour Road, Woodbridge, CT

The Jumping Worm program is scheduled for Wednesday, May 24, 2023 from 7-8PM at the Woodbridge Town Library. Annise Dobson will speak on the ways to prevent Jumping Worms and answer any questions. Flyers will be printed and put around Town. Be sure to notify Massaro Farms, Land Trust, Park, Garden Club, Community Garden and Beecher School.

Commissioner Paul Harrigan was asked how the Tree Preservation Proposal is coming along. He informed the Committee they will be meeting with Kris Sullivan to discuss a plan for the tree ordinance.

Barbara Hagan informed the Commission that the Historical Society have approved and accepted to help with identifying historical sites near the Greenway Trail. They will help by putting information together of each site that can be placed on trail maps. They will also use QR codes where you can obtain the information or from going to website on the computer.

Sharon deKadt made a **MOTION** to **ADJOURN** the meeting and Joi Prud'homme **SECONDED** THE **MOTION. All In Favor.**

Meeting adjourned at 9:32pm

The next meeting will be May 18, 2023 at 7:30pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Cathy Trzaski, Clerk of the Commission

