

**MINUTES OF MEETING  
CONWAY CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
May 13, 2015**

The May meeting of the Conway Conservation Commission convened at 6:30 p.m. at the recently acquired Marshall conservation property in North Conway, NH. Members present were: Rob Adair, Linda Kearney, Dan Lucy, Matt Coughlan, Pat Ferland and Larry Huemmler. Also present were Forester Don Johnson, Daymond Steer and Jamie Gemmiti of the Conway Daily Sun, and Town Manager Earl Sires.

1. **Approval of Minutes 3/11/15:** Motion was made by Ms. Kearney, seconded by Mr. Lucy, that the Minutes of the March 11<sup>th</sup> meeting be accepted with the following amendments: Mr. Coughlan's name was misspelled and the attached "Detail Statement of Accounts" referred to expenditures for the Hussey property, which should be Marshall property (two places). Motion carried with 3 votes in the affirmative and 2 abstentions (Huemmler & Kearney).

2. **Public Comment:** None.

3. **Reports:**

**a. NHDOT Mitigation Lands - TNC:** Mr. Adair explained that The Nature Conservancy was updating their brochure and map to include the recent expansion of the Green Hills Preserve. The map of the existing trails in the NHDOT Mitigation Lands (as presented by NEMBA at the November 2014 meeting) was briefly reviewed, which included an additional trail that accesses the Green Hills expansion. NEMBA representatives have been working on a sign plan to mark the trails in the Mitigation Lands and Pudding Pond Conservation Area. TNC and NEMBA were seeking approval to include these trails on the map and proceed with purchasing trail signs, funding for which was obtained by Mr. Sires through a Gibson-Woodbury Foundation grant. **Motion made by Mr. Huemmler, seconded by Ms. Kearney to approve including trails on TNC map and allow trail signs to be purchased and installed. Motion carried unanimously.**

**b. Selectmen's Report:** None given.

**c. Marshall property:** A tour of the Ingalls portion of the property ensued. Mr. Johnson explained recommended erosion control measures and possible stabilization of the landing area. The group discussed possible names for the conservation area but reached no consensus.

**Next Meeting – June 10, 2015.**

**Adjourn:** There being no further business, **Motion was made by Ms. Kearney, seconded by Mr. Huemmler and carried, that the meeting be adjourned at 7:45 p.m.**