

TEMPLE CONSERVATION COMMISSION
Minutes, September 14, 2022
Location: Town Hall Annex

Attendees: Lincoln Geiger, Sean Radcliffe, Scott Hecker, Mike Madden,
Russell Wilson, Cathy Joly

Absent: Adie Krulis

Guest: Christine Robidoux

Started at 7:09 pm

1. Natural Resources Inventory Update: Sean brought two copies of the Moosewood Ecological contract for Phase I of the NRI work; Christine signed them. *Sean will return them to Jeff Littleton for his signature, and Jeff will return one to us.* Phase I is likely to be finished early next year. Phase II will be determined at a later date and will involve more community outreach, including a presentation to Temple residents.
2. Approval of Minutes: Scott noted that the date of the next meeting needed to be corrected. Scott moved to accept the August 17, 2022 meeting minutes as amended, Russell seconded. All in favor.
3. Land Conservation Strategy: Flyers have been printed and *Scott will pick them up tomorrow and mail them.*
4. Temple Harvest Festival: Scott will bring a table, easel, the Con Com sign, and show and tell items. Scott will also bring the big map with conservation areas shaded, and the extra Land Conservation flyers. Lincoln will bring a deer skull with antlers. It sounds like we'll have a fun table!
5. *Town Forest Plan:* Scott sent the final edits to Eric; *Eric will incorporate the edits and complete the document.*
6. Chris Weston Trail: Kent mowed a path around the back field - thank you! We have to figure out a different mowing solution for the future because the town no longer has a brush hog. We discussed options for building the boardwalk along the edge of the swamp to create a loop trail. Lincoln mentioned that the NH Trail Authority provides grants for trail projects such as this.

7. The group adjourned at 8:37 pm. The next meeting will be on Wednesday, October 12, 2022 at 6:00 PM.

Minutes submitted by Cathy Joly.

Italics above indicate tasks to be done.