

Minutes of the Sugar Hill Conservation Commission

Thursday, January 16, 2014 **DRAFT**

Attendance: Kathie Galligan, Tim Burger, Tim Williams, Margo Connors

Minutes approved from November meeting.

- 1. Review of Cooley-Jericho Community Forest Plan** – Kathie will draft a letter to Dan Kenerson, CJCF Representative from the Town of Sugar Hill to request information about: possibility of motorized vehicles on the trail; parking; application to conservation fund.
- 2. Profile High School – trail maintenance** – Kathie has spear-headed an initiative with teachers at Profile to bring students to three Sugar Hill trails (Cushing Bridge, Coffin Pond, Robertson Forest) this spring. Students would benefit from a planned learning experience, while town would receive help with some much needed trail clean-up. Kathie will contact Ross Branch, student at Profile, who completed a great deal of initial trail work on the Town Forest last year for his assistance. Margo will contact consultant forester, Dana Blais, requesting that he walk Robertson Forest and Cushing Bridge trails and make recommendations on needed maintenance, stream crossings and bridges, and learning opportunities.
- 3. Review of Ski Hearth Farm DES application and permit**
- 4. Review of Sugar Hill Energy Plan and SHCC Responsibilities** – Energy Committee will be a sub-committee of the SHCC.

Respectfully submitted,

Margo Connors

Next meeting Thursday, February 20 @ 7pm