

Minutes of the Sugar Hill Conservation Commission July 17, 2025

In attendance: Chris Ellms, Margo Connors, Judy and Larry Sawyer

Guest: Mark Ehrmann

JUDY made a motion to accept the minutes for June and LARRY seconded the motion. All approved.

Discussed the ongoing situation on Jesseman Road. The Commission received a copy of an NHDES application for Wetlands Permit for Driveway submitted by Arthur Chase. Our guest is the landowner whose property has been affected and was not aware that an application had been submitted. It has been decided that LARRY will write a letter to Peter Conti at NHDES and try to get as much information as possible as to what is going on. The landowner has received no response from NHDES.

CHRIS reported that the Society for the Protection of New Hampshire Forests will assist us in raising funds for the Warren property but will not take the fund raising lead. We decided to reaffirm our previous vote and unanimously agreed to spend \$5000 to have the property appraised. SPNHF is helping with getting the appraisal done and it will be done in September. Once the appraisal is completed, we can meet with the Warren's.

There is beaver activity near the footbridge at Coffin Pond. The water level is quite low and LARRY will pull the boards at the inlet in the next day or two.

LARRY made a motion to adjourn and CHRIS seconded the motion. All approved. The meeting ended at 6:00.

Next meeting is August 21, 2025.