

Conservation Commission – March 8, 2014

Members present were co-chair Mr. Ned Wilson & Mr. Freddy Friedman & Dr. John Schreiber. Also present was Mr. Mark Stinson, DEP Regional Circuit Rider (appeared with a broken ankle).

Mr. Owen Wright appeared before the commission with questions about a piece of property on Foley Hill Road that has about 2.46 acres. After reviewing the maps it was decided that the piece of property has a perennial stream. Mr. Stinson reviewed the USGS map on the computer and confirmed that the piece of property on Foley Hill Road does have a perennial stream on it. Mr. Stinson recommends that if a person what's to build it is better to keep the house out of the 200 ft riverfront area. Mr. Stinson also looked up on the USGS map for property on East Hill Road for Mr. Wright. That piece of property has an intermittent stream on it. Mr. Stinson stated the reasons for filing a NOI are as follows: altering, dredge, fill or remove.

Meeting was formally called to order at 10:25AM.

Meeting minutes of February 1st were accepted as amended.

New Business:

Mr. Charles Loring, Highway Superintendent appeared to review the process of completing a bundle NOI. The commission, Mr. Stinson & Mr. Loring discussed the status of culverts in Town that may be in need of repair and what work will be required to be filed for permitting. The commission would like to invite Highway Superintendent, Board of Selectmen & Mr. Stinson to make site visit to area culverts, so that everyone knows what is happening and all will be informed. Mr. Stinson mentioned that there is a free website called Oliver – which the commission reviewed the site along with a few other free websites.

The commission reviewed the mail:

- a. Solid Earth Technologies Northern Woods Land magazine.
- b. Information on: Mass Woods Forest Conservation Program.

No other business was brought before the commission, so voted to adjourn at 11:23 AM.

Next regular meeting is scheduled for April 19, 2014.

Respectfully submitted,

Kathy Chretien
Secretary

