

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

AGENDA

DECEMBER 8, 2010

6:00 PM

TOWN HALL - 472 MAIN STREET - ROOM 126

Working Meeting – Update Open Space & Recreation Plan

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COMMISSIONERS PRESENT: Terry Maitland, Andrew Magee, Amy Green, Fran Portante, Bill Froberg,
Tom Arnold

RECORDING SECRETARY & CONSERVATION ADMINISTRATOR: Tom Tidman

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6:10 Meeting called to order.

Mr. Magee gave an overview of the old Open Space & Recreation Plan (OSRP), noting that he has created subheadings and there is a new outline to follow for the new document that will provide the format to work from.

Individual commissioners will be assigned different responsibilities.

Mr. Magee will start “dropping in” sections that were done last year; it is unlikely that physical characteristics will have changed.

A subcommittee of the Open Space Committee is working on the unprotected parcel ranking; Mr. Tidman will coordinate a future meeting.

Mr. Froberg has been in communication with the Recreation Commission and is working their update. Mr. Froberg has also met with the Recreation Director, Cathy Fochtman, regarding contents that require input from Recreation. The Recreation Commission has their own Five-year Plan which needs updating. They will summarize “key findings” and add them to the OSRP. Once Recreation’s five year plan is updated it can be added to the OSRP. Recreation’s component is needed as part of the OSRP.

The Conservation Commission and a subcommittee of the Open Space Committee will meet on January 12, 2011 at 6pm; the meeting will focus on updating the unprotected parcels list.

Mr. Arnold will update the list of privately owned parcels with conservation restrictions. Mr. Arnold has deed references from work done by Janet Adachi.

Mr. Maitland will update the list of land under Chapter 61.

Mr. Magee and Ms. Green will work on Section 4 of the OSRP.

Ms. Portante is working on Geographic Information System (GIS) data and will work on conservation lands list with Mr. Tidman and Jim Snyder-Grant.

Next OSRP meeting will be held on January 12, 2011 at 6:00 PM place to be determined.

7:25 Meeting adjourned.



Terry Maitland
Chair

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