Hebron Conservation Commission Minutes 8/18/21

Martha called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

Present: Martha Twombly, Suzanne Smith, Patrick Moriarty, Paul Conner, Barb Kohout (alt) Barb was elevated to full member.

Minutes: Patrick made a motion to accept the minutes of the July meeting. Suzanne seconded. All concurred.

Permits:

DES: File number 2021-02041 Shoreland Impact Permit 80 Indian Point Road. In June, owner, Mike Ahearn, filed an application which was returned as incomplete. July permit was issued with conditions. Also there is a minimum impact wetlands permit.

DES: File # 2021-02191 – Shoreland Impact Permit Lisa Nogelo & Douglas Kerr, 7 Soloma Dr., Hebron (Nogelo-Scarborough complex) approved by DES.

DES: File #2021-02504—Shoreland Permit filed. No action yet. Onaway Camp Trust.

DES: File #2021-02317 --Wetlands PBN – Green Acre Woodlands, approved with conditions. Tax map 10, Lot 1.

Charles Bean Conservation Area:

Members discussed using brush on the narrow beach to deter people from landing there. Patrick volunteered to speak with Mayhew about utilizing their barge since camp season has finished. Another option discussed was dragging wood out there behind snowmobiles once the lake is frozen. Marine Patrol is doing a good job telling people they are trespassing and must leave. Both Suzanne and Barb have noticed less activity at the beach on the Bean Sanctuary.

Monitoring The Bean Sanctuary:

Suzanne explained that by law we are required to put together a baseline documentation report on the Bean Sanctuary. Additionally we are beginning to work on monitoring protocols and a checklist for any people who do the monitoring. Members discussed putting together this information so that we can finalize the Baseline documentation report and other documents. Suzanne sent all members copies of Dr. Rick VandePoll's Rapid Ecological Assessment of the area to review. This document will inform the Baseline Documentation Report since it includes most everything needed in the report.

Hebron Town Forest:

Martha attended the Spectacle Pond Association Annual Meeting on August 14. Martha explained to SPA members, the poor condition of the white trail which goes behind the cottages but is on Town Forest Property. She said that it is an unauthorized trail which is in degraded condition and need upgrading so that those using it can do so safely. Several

members of the Spectacle Pond Association volunteered to help reroute and repair trail with the HCC. List of SPA members who volunteered to assist the Conservation Commission with this project are Wayne and Margaret DeCotis, Bob and Andrea Casella, Justin Weekley, David and Barb Godbout and Jim Gaffey. A trail day will be planned for September/October.

Martha has 2 Hebron Town Forest signs to be placed at entrance to parking lot. Paul volunteered to help put the signs up.

Suzanne reminded members that a Celebration of NH Conservation Commmissions will be held on Saturday, September 11 from 9:30-1:30 at Bear Brook State Park. We are all invited! Not too late to RSVP. If you wish to carpool, call Martha or Suzanne.

There being no further business to discuss, Patrick made a motion to adjourn. Paul seconded. All concurred. The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 pm.

Respectfully submitted, Suzanne Smith (acting secretary)