

Ferrisburgh Conservation Commission  
Meeting June 9, 2020  
Approved

Members present: Craig Heindel- Chair, Jen Cirillo, Amy Dohner, Jadziah Hannon Moonstone, and Karen Pettersen

Members absent: Dennis Armell, Ron DeBellis and Krista Hoffsis

Craig opened the Zoom meeting at 7:06 p.m. We had a quorum of 5 members.

The May 12, 2020 meeting notes were moved to be accepted as presented.

A. Roadside Ash Inventory

1. The meeting with John Bull and Cliff mix hasn't been scheduled.
2. There are 2 new EAB outbreaks in Vermont, one in Readsboro and the other ?.
3. Karen hasn't removed the Long Point roadside ash trees from the State EAB inventory website, yet.

B. FCC Brochure

1. Jadziah had emailed the members the updated brochure.
2. We discussed the fonts and Amy volunteered to help finalize the draft.

C. Land Use Regulation Update Committee

1. Craig suggested that Karen ask the State for model language for the Flood Hazard Area and River Corridor Protection sections to include in the Land Use Regulations update.

E. Bat Monitoring

1. Alyssa Bennet said the State will not be pursuing the bat monitoring program with volunteers this summer due to the corona virus.
2. The members of the Conservation Commission who had participated in previous years expressed an interest in continuing the monitoring on our own. We would have to walk into Kingsland Bay instead of driving in, attain permission from the Ruddy Mill and the Rokeby Museum, and ask Alyssa for the forms and dates for monitoring this year, plus to borrow the clickers. It was suggested that we take pictures at the sites, and we could scan the collection data form if someone had a blank form. Last year we monitored 4 times in July between the 11<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup>.
3. Amy volunteered to coordinate with Alyssa. Jen will send out the list of past participants. We picked three sites that we had monitored in the past and three members volunteered as a coordinator for each site. The coordinator would contact past participants to explain what we planned for bat monitoring this year and to determine if there was going to be enough participation due to the corona virus. The sites and coordinators: Kingsland Bay – Karen, Ruddy Mill- Craig, Rokeby – Jadziah.

F. Future workshops

1. Still up in the air due to the corona virus.

G. New Business

1. We may have a July meeting on the 14<sup>th</sup> if needed to discuss any Land Use Regulation updates.

No other business was discussed and the meeting adjourned at 8:25 pm. The next scheduled meeting will be September 8th, 2020, and we will meet using Zoom.

Respectfully submitted,  
Karen Pettersen, Secretary