

In attendance: Slim Spafford, Chair, Gina Rescigno, Vice-Chair, Ray Blake, Planning Board Liaison, Ruth Gaffey, Secretary. Members of the public, Cindy Carpenter

Meeting called to order at 7:09 p.m.

Minutes from the June meeting were accepted as read (Blake/Rescigno)

Gina reported that she contacted Jeff Littleton regarding the NRI. He said he needs clarification on Map 7 – Lot 45 and then he will be ready to print the maps. Gina photographed the map and will send to Jeff.

Gina reported that Pam Hamel has agreed to arrange a tour of the wind farm for the Conservation Commission. Gina will ask that it be set up for a Tuesday.

Results of the Clean Up: Slim thanked John and Gina Rescigno and Cindy Carpenter, who along with Slim Spafford cleaned up North Groton Road. A future road cleanup for Halls Brook Road will take place in September. Sandwich signs and advertising were suggested to try and encourage the community to join in the effort.

The tree snag across the Cockermonth (across from Forest Hills Rd) was discussed and pictures were shown. It is a significant snag. Slim Spafford has spoken to the town and state, Sara has spoken to the Wetlands Division of the DES and the consensus was that the town and state cannot do anything because it is on private property. Ruth said she would contact the NLRA and see if they have any other information.

Slim would like to arrange a hike to see the Mine and other areas of particular interest and all enthusiastically agreed they would like to participate.

The next CPC meeting is on July 23rd at 6:30 and members plan to attend.

The Aquifer and Floodplain Protection Overlay District Ordinance Proposal was looked at the by Commission and all agreed that the area needs protection. All agreed that NO material extraction or earth excavation activity should be allowed

in this area. It was agreed that no commercial activity should take place in this area.

Ruth will send the addition recommendation via email to the CPC of Pam Hamel and Deb Johnson. Slim will provide Ruth with an email address for the consultant and she will send the complete document to him as well.

Ray Blake recommended that everyone visit the White Mountains Museum in Plymouth

The meeting was adjourned at 9:00 p.m. (Blake/Rescigno)

Submitted by

Ruth Gaffey

Secretary