

Town Forest Committee Meeting Minutes

February 26, 2018

6:30-8:00 PM Thayer Memorial Library – Trustees Room

In attendance: Tim Castner, Chris Fish, Bob Lidstone: Absent: Jason Allison

Old Business:

Approve Minutes from November – Vote postponed

Phase II Harvest – Next Steps – continue discussion – Had some discussion. Vote postponed until further input can be gathered.

Snow Mobile Club - Grant possibilities for trail improvement, parking lot improvement, and kiosk. The Snow Mobile club decided not to pursue a grant for this year.

Land Acquisition and Grant update: We expect the property to close by mid-March.

Trail Development Warrant article and next steps – No update.

Snow Mobile Club - Trails designation – Will seek input from Zoning Board of Appeals and Planning Board.

New Business:

Approve new trail map: No Update

Possibility of a grant for some of the Maharishi land. – Discussed options for pursuing a grant to permanently protect the Maharishi land should the owner become open to such a deal.

Public comment - None

Other Business – Reserved for topics that the chair did not reasonably anticipate would come up. - None