

Town Forest Committee Meeting Minutes

April 25, 2016

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

In Attendance: Tim Castner, Chris Fish, Jason Allison

Old Business:

Approve minutes from February – Approved Unanimously

Possible Eagle Projects – No update- It does not look like Mike O’Neil will be pursuing a project with the forest.

Hill Top Road Parcels – Town Meeting Articles: The articles to transfer ownership of Hill Top Parcels to the Conservation Committee and establish the Eugene Christoph Memorial Wild Forest are in the works. For May.

ATV signage and policies – No Update

Harvest update and scheduling - No Update

New Business:

Public Comment

Town Forest Cleanup: With help from the Tiger Scouts we got four bags of stuff out. We will look at possible new plans to get more people to show up. (Jason is willing to take the lead.)

There is a new trail map that the Planning office put up by the main entrance on Brockelman Road

Sunday there will be 2:00 pm Bird walk in the Forest.

Town Wide Forestry Plan? – No Progress yet.

Goal setting while waiting for the harvest. . . Keep the Clean-up program going. Look at cross country ski loop for the winter – Continue to plan boardwalks

Other Business – Reserved for topics that the chair did not reasonably anticipate would come up.