



TOWN OF NORTON

Water Bodies Committee _____ (Committee)

MINUTES

Date: June 3, 2013 Time: 7 pm

Location: 1st Floor Conference Room, Town Hall

Members & Staff Present: David Lennon, Brian Brady, Joe McFarland, Colleen Ryan, Carol Zwicker _____

Members Not Present: Herb Ellison, Frank Hovey, Lee Parham and a member from Conservation Commission

The meeting was called to order at: 7pm

Minutes from the May 6, 2013 Meeting were reviewed and Approved with no adjustments.

Meeting Motions / Actions and Summary of Discussions:

Selectmen's meeting with Brian's presentation was discussed and remarks made at that time were discussed. Several related articles were in the Sun Chronicle and the Norton Mirror regarding the invasive weeds.

Dave Lennon had a picture on his phone of a boater who used an empty helium tank as a buoy near the island.

Members discussed an upcoming joint meeting that Selectmen were trying to arrange.

WBC needs to know the Chief Procurement officer's name in Norton.

First step is applying for permits but committee needs to know who has to apply. Town can work from past studies but we need a survey.

Concern is that LL Bean has 5000 lb trailer on bridge without any permits, stuff has piled up on three pieces of property. Portages would flow upstream not down, it is felt that Town of Mansfield should have more concern. Abutters were not notified of storage.

There is some hope that funding will be on the Town Meeting Agenda for October.

Reminder that Water Chestnut pickings were scheduled for June 8th and 22nd.

Joe will find out if a kiosk could be made in time for the Founders Day Picnic June 22, 2013.

Scouts have heard from State regarding Winnecunnett kiosks and has a go ahead.

Dave will contact Sheri Cohen for permission to put up kiosks.

Date set for next Meeting to be July 15th.

Colleen asked if we could set up a display at the Library before the Town Meeting..

Dave will contact Jason to get footage on study of Winnecunnett.

Question whether WBC would do an article regarding Stewardship, and process.

Focus on where the water comes from, where it flows to ie Rumford River, Great Brook, Canoe River and Mulberry Brook.

Motion made by Colleen Ryan to adjourn, seconded by Dave Lennon.

List of Documents and Other Exhibits used at Meeting:

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Meeting was adjourned at _8:05_____ until the next meeting on Monday, _July 15th,
2013_____ at _7pm_____ at the Town Hall_____.

Respectfully submitted,

Minutes Approved by Committee on: _____
(Date)

Signatures:

(Name & Title)

Chairman, _____
(committee)