



TOWN OF NORTON

Water Bodies

(Committee)

MINUTES

Date: September 15, 2014

Time: 7:05 PM

Location: 1st Floor Conference Room, Town Hall

Members & Staff Present: Carol Zwicker, David Lennon, Herb Ellison, Brian Brady, Colleen Ryan, Christine Barr, Lori Kimball, Bob Kimball, Selectmen, Brian Procopio.

Members Not Present: Joe McFarland, Mark Burgess, Member from Conservation

The meeting was called to order at: 7:05 pm

Minutes from the August 18, 2014 Meeting were reviewed and Approved with no adjustments.

Meeting Motions / Actions and Summary of Discussions:

Herb Ellison motion to accept minutes, Brian Brady, 2nd motion.

Copies viewed of the signs sent by Con Com Agent. Brian will contact State about signs.

Joe will post signs as soon as he can. Kiosk on Alder Road will be done, Juniper and Evergreen are not ready yet. Colleen said we need the kiosks to be done if Scouts are not going to do them. Dave will inquire about cost. Brian suggested that the 319 Grant may have money for them. Colleen mentioned the quality of kiosk at Crane Preservation.

Colleen asked if we could hand out flyers at the Town Meeting again. Questioned if we could have video at the Town Meeting. Colleen can do a flyer concerning immediate control necessity. To include each water body and what weeds are in each.

Article at Town Meeting will ask for funding. Per ESS application has to be done by June, need money for permitting and application of herbicide licensed by the State. The 1st step has been approved. Brian suggested Large Heading as 'Save Our Lakes' for the flyer.

Carol asked Bob Kimball if he could check with the Town Moderator if we can.

Dave will contact Bill Napolitano, from SRPEDD, to see if he could attend TM for support. We have to stay focused and have as much information as possible. Bob will make sure that there is enough money available for permitting and processing.

Next meeting of WBC is changed so we can meet prior to TM, on October 6, 2014.

Bob said WBC will probably be invited to attend a Fin Com meeting.

Dave Lennon questioned if we could have consultant come to WBC meeting to update. WBC meeting was videoed in part for the informational video to be aired on local channels. Collen gave Bob a script and

Pictures to use for an introduction for the video. Slides are on a JPEG. Colleen sent to slides to UTube.. Brian Procopio, videographer, went out on the Reservoir. Colleen has pictures of Winnecunet to add, she also interviewed some neighbors for the video. Committee asked Brian if he could come to the next meeting with the video which is 5 to 7 minutes long. Reservoir clean-up was on previous weekend, 2 days. Students volunteered on Saturday. Clean-up was on route 140 from Mobile Home Park to Ribeiro's and the causeway on the other side.

Herb told WBC that purchase and sales has been accepted to purchase Pheeney's Island. It will ^{W/S} have to go to TM to be voted on as gift to Land Preservation, name may change.

Colleen gave members flyers to have posted. Mark has been updating Face Book. Article 18 will be voted on at TM. Dave reminded WBC that there may be some negativity.

Colleen questioned if we could get a listing to mail to info to residents with water front or water view properties.

Dave thanked Chris and Lori for videos they made.

Brian Brady made motion to adjourn 2nd by Herb Ellison.

List of Documents and Other Exhibits used at Meeting:

- **Draft of Article 18**

Meeting was adjourned at 8:05pm until the next meeting on Monday, October 6, 2014 at 7PM at the Town Hall _____.

Respectfully submitted,

Minutes Approved by Committee on: 10/6/14
(Date)

Signatures:

(Name & Title)

Chairman, _____
(committee)

ARTICLE 16

RESERVED: Possible Land Acquisition

(BOARD OF SELECTMEN)

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ARTICLE 18

To see if the Town will raise and appropriate and/or transfer and/or appropriate from available funds or borrow, a sum of money for the implementation of the Water Shed Plan for four water bodies (i.e. Barrowsville Pond, Chartley Pond, Norton Reservoir, and Winnecunnet Pond), including obtaining the required permits for the recommended treatment for each water body so as to reclaim degraded water resources for natural resource quality and recreational uses and to perform certain activities required to bring the Town into compliance with the EPA's Small MS4 (Municipal Separate Storm Sewers) General Permit, and all other costs incidental and related thereto, or take any other action relative thereto.

(WATER BODIES COMMITTEE)

ARTICLE 19

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, and/or appropriate and/or transfer from available funds a sum of money for legal services and/or technical assistance relative to G.L. c.40B (Comprehensive Permit) projects, or take any other action relative thereto.

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