

Marshfield Conservation Commission  
125<sup>th</sup> Meeting  
Meeting of 7 November 2018

Members Present: Taber Allison, Allen Banbury, Ed Jalbert, Sarah Norton, Rachel Rudi

Approval of Minutes: It was noted that October's minutes mentioned Sue "Morris," which is misspelled; "Morse" is the correct spelling. Additionally, the infrared imagery which may be used to monitor Marshfield's forests are not housed with the Town, but with the State. Approved as amended.

Treasurer's Report: Allen reported that there was no change in the Commission's finances since the last meeting. The current balance is \$121.46.

Natural Marshfield: Anne was not present; no update given.

Stranahan Town Forest: The October meeting of the Stranahan Committee mostly entailed revising the recreational report, however the Committee has agreed to not dig into the wetland for the time being. One committee member believes that since Thompson Road is a State road, it may override the State's protection of the wetland section. Ed will find out if this is the case.

Pamphlet Distribution: Recently, Sarah has taken pamphlets to VNRC, Protect Your Wildlife, Vermont Land Trust, and the Department of Agriculture. Ed offered to take some to the EAB training later this month in Barre.

Invasives Map: Bob was not present to lead a discussion on BioFinder. It was suggested that an MCC subcommittee could be formed to prioritize the mapping project.

Sugaring: Sarah reported on the woods walk, sponsored by Friends of the Winooski and the Conservation Commission and led by Mike Ferrell of the Forest Farmers commercial sugaring operation.

Other Business: None.

Submitted On: November 15, 2018

Approved On: 5 December 2018

Submitted By: Rachel Rudi