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Conservation Commission Minutes 10/02/2008

ARLINGTON CONSERVATION COMMISSION
MINUTES
OCTOBER 12, 2008

Mr. Stevens called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. in the second floor conference room of the Town Hall Annex. Present were Nathaniel Stevens, David White, Charles Tirone, Ellen Reed and Catherine Garnett of the Commission. Tim Sullivan and William O'Rourke of the Commission were not in attendance, nor was Associate Member Ezra Benjamin.

7:30 p.m. - COMMISSION BUSINESS

Mr. White reported that DPW had picked up the garbage debris at Mt. Gilboa Conservation Land.

White/Tirone motioned to approve the 5/1, 5/15, 8/21, and 9/18 minutes with edits; motion passed unanimously.

Reed/White motioned to approve the 2009 meeting schedule; motion passed unanimously.

The Commission reviewed the work proposed for Spy Pond Park and concluded that only the maintenance activities were allowed without filing for a new permit. Ms. Reed asked that we have a on-going condition to use only Rodeo and not Round-Up around the waterbodies.

The Commission discussed the installation of Port-a-potties at the Town's ball fields. While generally accepted favorably, other concerns included on-site maintenance activities and vandalism.

Meeting adjourned at 8:25pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Corinna Beckwith
Administrator