



Spy Pond Committee

Date: Tuesday, March 3rd, 2020
Time: 7:30pm
Location: Town Hall Annex, First Floor

Minutes

Attendance: *Brad Barber, Bill Eykamp, Brian Battuello, Jane Howard, Cheryl Miller, Stroker Rogovin, Judy Berman and Agnes O'Donnell*

Facilitator: Brad Barber
Minutes: Brian Battuello

1. February minutes approved
2. Water Bodies Fund and the Finance Committee
Brad attended along with several others. \$55k approved for water bodies.
3. Update on the Sand Bar
Bryan Cordeiro from Mass DOT reported that the Mass. Natural Heritage permit is pending. The other permits are complete. Project going to bid in mid April. District 4 will take over at that time. Discussion of fence relocation.
4. Platform and Water Level
The viewing platform at Spy Pond Park might be at risk from ice. The water level for Spy Pond should be restored in the next week or two.
5. Trails Day
The date conflicts with a "Friends of Spy Pond Park" work day. Brian discussed catering options. Mel Crawford is retiring this year.
6. Treatment plan
Brad distributed a Spy Pond history with details of plant management. Discussion of smarter ways to use herbicide. Discussion of outside review by an aquatic biologist.
7. New Business
None
8. Adjournment at 9:08pm