

Dummerston Conservation Commission Agenda 1-11-2018

Minutes, Financial review

Issues from community members

Report on status of Black Mountain with Jon Binhammar, The Nature Conservancy

Upcoming programs: Leaving a Land Legacy, Jan. 24 with Mary Sissock: Lyn, "Trees and Tracking" Jan. 27, February Education Series "Focus on Weather" with Mark Breen (meteorologist), Vern Grubinger (UVM plant and berry specialist), Todd Menees (state river engineer), Tom Rogers (state biologist) , April--managing our land for wildlife with Dept. of Forest and Parks, May--Wildflowers with John Anderson, Planting for Pollinators

Planning for Town Meeting

Soliciting volunteers at town events and conservation commission programs

Check in with 2017-18 Conservation Commission Plan to make sure we are doing what we had planned and to make any adjustments

On-going Initiatives

- Coordination with other agencies and organizations

- Coordination with select board and other town committees

- Land Conservation Projects

- Invasives Removal

- First detector Program (Emerald Ash Borer, Hemlock Woolly Adelgid, Asian Longhorn Beetle)

- Stewardship- Prospect Mountain, Black Mountain, Dutton Pines, Rain Garden

- West River Trail report

- Inventorying and Biodiversity Update

- Rare and endangered Plants protection

- Wildlife Connectivity

- Water, waterways/culverts

- Website

- E-mail Outreach

- Views articles

Sightings