

Dummerston Conservation Commission
Meeting Minutes 1/9/2025

Members attending: Jesse Wagner, Christine Goepp, Lynn Levine, Bill Conley, Ron Svec--,
David Greenewalt, Lew Teich

Not attending: None

Public attendees: Phil Goepp

Called to order: 6:05pm

- Administration:
 - Financial report - David Greenewalt suggests inclusion of notes on account line items. Will coordinate with Chris Brown on possibilities. Current report reviewed. **Lew Teich motions to accept, Jesse Wagner seconded. Unanimous consent.**
 - December meeting minutes - Reviewed. **Bill Conley motions to accept; Lew Teich seconds. Unanimous consent.**
- Programs:
 - Fundraising - Should the commission embark on an effort through mail, phone calls, or events?
 - Conservation fund - Is there an ability to create a restricted fund for "conservation"? What are rules and who will conserve that land?
 - Views of Dummerston / newsletter - Newsletter is published.
 - Prospect Hill - The board of trustees will have a meeting on/about January 22nd.
 - Trail book - Storage boxes are ordered.
 - Website / Facebook - Nothing to report.
 - Speakers / Events - February 20th covering invasive plants with Andrew Morrison. Ron Svec will do a bluebird talk on March 20th.
- Sightings: Cottontail rabbit. Ice formations. Fisher tracks.

Adjourned: 7:28pm

- Next meeting: Thursday, February 13th at 6pm at the Town Office

Respectfully submitted, Todd Davidson

To Do List:

- David/Christine - coord on financial report format with Chris Brown
- Christine - research on "conservation fund"
- Bill Conley - set up visitor for the March meeting
- Christine - land conservation fact sheet