

Town of Carlisle

Conservation Restriction Advisory Committee Minutes of Meeting of March 23, 2021

In attendance: Members Nancy Cowan (Chair), Tom Brownrigg, Ken Harte, Marc Lamere, and Rick Ochse. Sylvia Willard, Conservation Commission Administrator, also attended. The meeting was held via Zoom teleconference due to the Covid-19 pandemic, with all participants at home. Chair Nancy Cowan called the meeting to order at 7:35 pm.

Old Business:

1. Minutes of February 23 meeting

The Committee reviewed the minutes of February 23, 2021. On a motion by Marc, seconded by Nancy, the minutes were approved as amended.

2. CR#27, Hartwell Rd. - Review monitoring report

Marc completed the report with photos and sent it to CRAC members prior to the meeting. After discussion, the report was approved with corrections. Marc noted that the trail easement needs to be marked with rebar, to be supplied by Ken. Marc and Ken will set a date to install the rebar, and include property owner Nick Ognibene in the planning. The rebar will be painted in a manner making it more visible, but with the approval of Mr. Ognibene.

New Business:

1. CR#29 - Mill Pond Lane

The site visit is scheduled for April 11 at 10 AM. Tom will contact property owners and send members copies of the CR text and plan before the inspection.

2. Schedule next site visits

Possible site visits were discussed: CR#2 - Valentine & Bridges; CR#53 - Malcolm Preserve; CR#4 - Cranberry Hill; CR#13 - Fisk Meadow; and CR#22 - Cutter's Ridge.

After discussion, it was decided to combine visits to CR#4 (Cranberry Hill) and CR#13 (Fisk Meadow) on April 25. Nancy said that she would notify property owners and coordinate the visits. Rick said that after the current semester, he would coordinate an inspection this summer.

3. Greenough Dam repair

Sylvia recently visited Greenough Dam with members of the Community Preservation Committee and Weston & Sampson Engineers. The purpose of the meeting was to obtain cost estimates for the repair, since it was likely that CPC funds will be requested at Town Meeting. Sylvia said that during construction, the engineering firm would like to stockpile materials along the common driveway off Maple St. and that parts of the driveway are within CR#30. She asked whether stockpiling of material

could be considered a violation of the CR. Ken thought that since stockpiling was temporary, it should not be a violation.

Next Meeting: April 20, 2021 @ 7:30 PM

The meeting adjourned at 8:20 PM.

Document reviewed:

- CR#27 Monitoring Form (draft), inspection conducted January 24, 2021

Respectfully submitted,

Tom Brownrigg

Secretary

Minutes approved: May 18, 2021