

## **Canaan Conservation Commission**

July 11, 2016

Attendees: Bill Chabot, Elizabeth Chabot, Mike Mezzacapo, Noel Everts, Ashley Wojnarowski, Len Reitsma

Special Guest: Bob Angler

### **Minutes**

#### **May 2016**

No Discussion. Mike moved we accept the minutes as presented, Ashley seconded. Motion passed

#### **June 2016**

No Discussion. Ashley moved we accept the minutes as presented, Bill seconded. Motion passed

### **Town Forest/Nature Hut**

- Additional tours of the Town Forest were led just before school let out for the summer. Students up to the 6<sup>th</sup> grade participated bringing the total to about 230 students. Teachers continued to be enthusiastic.
- The Sign should be done shortly. Mike has the invoice. Bill will forward it to Gloria so Mike will have the check when he picks up the sign
- Bill has been marking trails and plans to finish them this weekend. Some need some weed whacking.
- Target July 24 at 9am for a trail day.
- Mike is going to investigate plastic trail markers that expand with tree growth as an alternative to the paint we've been using to mark the trails.

### **Old Homes Day**

- First weekend in August. We agreed that we need to have a presence, possibly combine with John Bergeron and the MWCC. Bill will email Kurt of the MWCC to see what maps exist.

### **Commission Members**

- Len Reitsma's term expires in August. As there are no other candidates volunteering, Len agreed to another 3 year term, to expire August of 2019.
- Elizabeth moved that we vote Len into another 3 year term, Mike seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

Motion to adjourn made by Mike, seconded by Ashley

**Next meeting to be held on August 1st, 2016 at the Senior Center**

### **Conservation Commission Members**

#### **Full-Time:**

Bill Chabot: Chair, 3 year term,  
ending April 30, 2018

Elizabeth Chabot: Secretary, 3 year term,  
ending April 30, 2019

Len Reitsma: 3 year term,  
ending August 31, 2019

Mike Mezzacapo: 3 year term,  
ending Oct 31, 2017

Ashley Wojnarowski: 3 year term,  
ending Oct 31, 2017

#### **Alternates:**

Alice Schori  
Noel Everts