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Weston Conservation Commission Meeting Minutes Thursday, October 7, 2021 (in person)

Attending: Anne Degan, Marisa Bolognese, Andrew Harper, Donald Hart, Deborah Hennessey, Jeff Lennox, Loretta

Murphy

Absent: Annie Fujii

Meeting Called to Order: 7:07 pm

Requested Changes to Agenda: None

Public Comment: None

Review and Approve Minutes: Jeff moved and Deborah seconded to approve September 2, 2021 minutes. Unanimously approved (Andrew abstaining).

WCC Projects Update

- Weston Community Garden: Still no communication from the board of the Weston Recreation Center; Marisa will follow up again.
- Civilian Conservation Corps Trail: Trail workday scheduled Tuesday, October 12, at 9 am. Anne, Andrew and Deborah will participate. The kiosk is built and ready to go. The photos and maps are complete. Weston Historical Society is to provide the text.
- "Bee the Change": Deborah will stay on top of this and follow up as needed. This would involve designating an acre of municipal land—currently mowed or unused—for a dynamic pollinator meadow. Bee the Change (www.beethechangehoney.com) would provide seeds, expertise and manpower. Twenty-five Vermont towns are participating so far.

Old and New Business

- **Londonderry Conservation Commission**: Deborah has been in touch with the Chair of the Londonderry Conservation Commission who is interested in working on a collaborative educational program with us. We will be thinking about program ideas and discuss at our next meeting.
- New projects ideas: With major projects winding down, it was agreed we need to begin thinking about new areas of interest. Preliminary ideas included creating a Conservation section with suggested reading and educational materials for the Wilder Memorial Library web site, and clearing and maintaining a recreational trail from Moses Pond Road to Turner Road.

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Adjourned: 7:55 pm

Respectfully submitted, Anne Degan

Next meeting: November 4, 2021, 7 pm, in-person