

**Meeting:** Antrim Conservation Commission, October 30, 2019 at 530 pm at the Town Hall.

**Attendees:** Peter Beblowski '22', Jeremy DeLisle '20', Ron Cheetham '20' and Keith Wolsiefer '22' Frank Gorga '21' Public: Anthony Damiano, of GZA GeoEnvironmental and Jeremy Fennell and Lydia Morton of Eversource for construction and permitting, respectively.

**Absent:** Linda Bryer '21', & Rod Zwirner-Member-at-Large

1. Draft September 2019 meeting notes were reviewed amended and accepted.
2. Eversource L163 Line Structure Replacement Project was discussed. Wetland impacts in this structure project shall be temporary. Generally done under frozen conditions (January –March) and under NH guideline Best Management Practices (BMPs) May to August. Buffer zones will be restored to 10-15 feet of wetlands. Areas 15 -25 feet will be fully stabilized and left in place for future pole projects.
3. Caughey Easement – potential hike property during week? Call Eric Masterson Harris Center soon.
4. **Trails:**
  - a. **Campbell Pond** – Peter has gotten out to Campbell Pond & placed signs prohibiting motorized vehicles (OHRV- Off Highway Recreational Vehicles). Additional signs given to Jeremy DeLisle for upper project property. Also, Frank to contact Student Conservation Association (SCA) regarding trail building around pond & possible loop trail up Reilly Mtn. It is too late for this year, then plan for early coordination with SCA for next year.
  - b. **Meadow Marsh Trail** – Peter cleaned up the tree that was reported down.
  - c. **Lily Pond Trail** – Hike to set trail & christen Nov 9 at 1pm.
  - d. **Hurlin Property** has some substantial trees that need cutting and brush needs mowing. Schedule in Fall and winter 2019 -2020
  - e. **Meetinghouse Hill Trail** to the Meetinghouse Hill Cemetery needs to be re-established. Peter has contacted Andrew Robblee re: new trail easement agreement. It is in the negotiation stage.
    - **Town Pound issue:** Need to get back to Selectmen & Historical Society about this.....
    - **Also we have been asked.....**by the Grange about wood cutting and shipping the wood down to the Grapevine.....any takers.....date tbd. But Frank to contact both the Grange & Grapevine about WoodBank donations.
5. **Antrim 2020 Trail Group** of special note are work days for Hurlin Property cleanup this winter 2019.
  - a. Dates: tbd
6. Note Town Hall needs to be contacted about possible removal & proper disposal of several invasive species that have been established at and around several town properties. Town Hall: bittersweet & burningbush. Still needs to be arranged. Burning Bush could be replaced by Blueberry Bushes in 2020 according to Jeremy & Joan Gorga.
7. **Gregg Lake Basin study** is moving forward nicely.
8. **Contookook & North Branch Rivers Local Advisory Committee (CNBRLAC):** Rod says the new website is now available, <https://www.cnbriac.org/> .
9. **Paddles & Hikes: Lily Pond Trail** – hike on Nov 9 at 1 pm.
10. **Planning Board:** rewrite of the Master Plan put off to 2020 but Janet McEwen is to email Peter additional information and meet later in Fall about an interim report .
  - Old Pound Road Subdivision comment form submitted and Interaction w/ Eversource on line maintenance forthcoming from GZA Environmental (see above).
11. **Intents to Cut-** active
  - 19-017-11T Ivey Trust, Map 221, Lot 5, Reed Carr Rd. (28 of 30 acres cut)
  - 19-017-12T Dow Trust, Map 211, Lots 6 & 29, Loverens Mill Rd. (37 of 41 acres cut)
  - 19-017-13T Ellingwood, Map 237, Lot1, Salmon Brook Rd. (10 of 20 acres cut)
  - 19-017-14T Longgood, Map 224, Lot 002, Salmon Brook Rd, (25 of 53 acres cut)

19-017-15T Canfield, Map 215, Lot 008, Green Ridge Rd (pvt) (8 of 10.16 acres cut)  
19-017-16T Canfield, Map 214, Lot 010, Elm Ave. (2 of 2.38 acres cut)  
19-017-17T Allen, Map 232, Lot 030, Goodell Road ( 40 of 280 acres cut)

**12. NHDES Wetland Permits:**

- August 5, 2019 DES issued a notice of insufficiency for permit by notification for forestry operations for Map 215, Lot 6 & Map 211, Lot 29 owned by Sally Dow Living Trust on Loverens Mill Rd.
- August 27, 2019 DES issued a Forestry Notification Permit #2019-02693 for Goodell Rd., Map 232, Lot 30 to Mary & Gordon Allen.
- September 5, 2019 DES issued a complaint letter #2019-2782 for 58 & 60 Valeriani Rd., Map 246, Lot 7 to Joseph Valeriani.
- September 5, 2019 DES issued a complaint letter #2019-2784 for 35 White Birch Point Rd., Map 241, Lot 27 to Joel & Mark Johnson.
- September 9, 2019 DES issued a complaint letter #2019-2826 for 15 White Birch Point Rd., Map 241, Lot 31 to Paula Scavuzzo.
- September 9, 2019 DES issued a complaint letter #2019-2827 for 4 Brimstone Corner Rd., Map 240, Lot 2 to Gregg Lake Camps, LLC.
- September 11, 2019 DES issued a complaint letter #2019-2784 for 35 White Birch Point Rd., Map 241, Lot 27 to Mark Hetzer (see above).
- September 11, 2019 DES issued a complaint letter #2019-2834 for Gregg Lake Rd., Map 101, Lot 34 to Samuel & Linnea Zachos.
- NHDES File # 2019-03207 Old Pound Rd. Map 227, Lot #22 subdivision Town received Wetland Permit Application notice.
- Eversource L163 Line Structure Replacement Project

**13. Workshops & meetings – see separate pages**

**Harris Center** <https://harriscenter.org/events>

**Monadnock Conservancy:** <http://www.monadnockconservancy.org>

**Next Meeting:** Scheduled for Wednesday, November 27, 2019 at 530 pm in the Town Hall.