

Meeting: Antrim Conservation Commission, March 28, 2012 at 530 pm at the Town Hall.

Attendees: Peter Beblowski 2013 (Chairman), Linda Bryer 2015 (pending), Ron Cheetham 2014, Keith Wolsiefer 2014 (pending),

Absent: Rod Zwirner At-Large

Agenda:

1. The February meeting notes were amended and accepted.
2. Keith Wolsiefer & Linda Bryer have been accepted by the selectmen for three year terms. They need to see the Town Clerk & get sworn in.
3. **May Town Wide Clean Up** Have not heard yet? Call Brian Beihl 588-3014 or beihl@comcast.net
4. Jeff Littleton <http://moosewoodecological.com> responded that he has been incredibly busy and will respond by the end of April or beginning of May. We said ok.
5. Campbell Pond still in Selectmen's court. Need to bring up formalizing passive walking, parking and timber harvest easement. Selectmen to contact landowners.
6. Antrim Rec Dept. made a request through Facebook asking if the Antrim Conservation Commission would like to participate in a regular scheduled Hike. First one scheduled for April 14 to Greystone Lodge Site. I said that I would attend & that one or more commission members would try to attend & help with the hikes. Rod Z has been participating in planning & will attend if available.
7. Harris Center announced they have hired a new Executive Director, Jeremy Wilson, a former Maine Forestry Professor with local ties will take over from Laurie Bryan later this summer.
8. NH Audubon's Phil Brown invited the Con Com to a Hemlock Woolly Adelgid (HWA) Workshop in Deering on April, 14, 2012 at 3 pm to see the localized outbreak on North Road. Peter Beblowski & Ron Cheetham will try to attend.
9. Warning from Antrim Police Dept RE a Jury Duty Scam was shared with the members.
10. Saving Special Places Workshop April 14 in Weare and Source Water Workshop May 2 in Concord were briefly discussed.
11. New Wildlife Action Plan discussed.
12. Antrim Wind Energy application for SEC Wind project and Public Hearing April 30 discussed. Members discussed intervenor status and need for input on behalf of Wildlife and Natural Resources. State neither for nor against & talk on behalf of Natural Resources. Members voted 3 yes, 0 no to apply for intervenor status. Chair abstained. (Chair only votes to break a tie.)
13. **Harris Center** <http://www.harriscenter.org/Programs/programs.htm>
14. **Monadnock Conservancy:** <http://www.monadnockconservancy.org/index.html>

Wetland Permits: Several from Pierce Lake

Hikes & or Paddles: Greystone Lodge Hike with Rec Dept on April 14 at 930 am
Next Meeting: scheduled for Wednesday, April 25, 2012 at 530 pm in the Town Hall.