TILTON CONSERVATION COMMISSION August 15, 2016

MINUTES

Members present: Chuck Mitchell, chair; Paul Rushlow; Ben Wadleigh; Helen Hanks; Jim Cropsey; and Kathi Mitchell

Meeting was called to order by the chair at 7:03 p.m.

- 1. **Minutes:** Helen Hanks made a motion to accept the minutes, Paul Rushlow seconded the motion, and it was approved unanimously.
- **2. Eagle Scout project:** Paperwork for John Swain's project has been approved. Chuck picked up aluminum nails and gave them to John. Jim has extra nails if needed.
- **3. Easement Monitoring**: Bob and Jason Stock will walk Jason's property on September 10. Helen will be reviewing her assignment shortly.
- **4. Salmon Run update:** Chuck and Kathi did a little weeding but the weeds in the trail itself are a problem that will need to be addressed. A long-term maintenance plan would be in order. Jim has a dark material that will kill weeds for the proposed turtle-nesting area. It was suggested that the secretary contact the Winnipesaukee River Trail folks about the hole by the bollard and weed control.
- **5. Liberty Utilities:** The Commissioners looked at plans and had no questions or concerns at this time, but they will follow the maintenance as detailed in the plans.
- **6. Secretary Search:** The Commission continues to work on this matter.
- 7. Correspondence:
 - * NH DES Wetlands Specific Permit 2015-02532
 - * NH Timberland Owners' Association NH Timber Harvesting Law
 - *Forestry and Sawmill Field Day September 23 in New London
- **8.** Other: Plans were made for a gathering of all the stakeholders who helped to develop the Salmon Run Conservation Area.

Meeting adjourned at 8:05 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Kathi Mitchell, Acting Secretary