

**Conservation Commission Meeting, Via Zoom  
March 18, 2021**

Minutes taken by Ruth Gutman

Present at the meeting were members:

John Bozak, Ruth Gutman, Dan Blanchette, Jerry Lanoie, Joseph Howes, Nancy Rogers (alternate)

The meeting of the Conservation Commission was called to order by John via Zoom at 6:32 PM.

Minutes from the January meeting were approved.

Maine Audubon

Doug Hitchcox has not responded about an alternate date for the presentation. Ruth will wait to hear.

Hebo Hybo Road Access and Community Forest

- In February the Commission attended the meeting of the Select Board to discuss Hebo Hybo Road access. The gate is now open on a trial basis. We do not know if cameras were set up. Selectman "Butch" Lizotte and Road Commissioner Scott Gerrish are working on setting up a meeting with the road abutters.
- Doing a trash pickup on the road and other properties was discussed, perhaps in conjunction with Clean Up Day and the younger scouts who need off road locations.
- A walk at the Forest is planned for Sunday, April 25 at 10 AM. Attendees could either walk from the gate or ride in. Shuttling via pickup truck was discussed. Social distancing would be encouraged.
- Eagle Scout candidate Ryan Mackenzie will go out this Saturday to replace his winter questions and materials with spring materials on the loop trail.

Nesbitt Management Plan

It was agreed that we would wait for member Don Leuchs to return before scheduling the meeting with the Nesbitt abutters. Eli's Eagle Scout project has increased awareness and activity on the pond. John will be writing material for a brochure.

Town-Owned Land Inventory

Exploring other properties was discussed. The Commission is required to keep an inventory of all open lands in the town as a part of our mission. Dan and Jerry will take a look at the Bog Brook wetlands parcels (200+ acres) and report back.

The meeting came to a close at 7:21 PM.

The next meeting will be April 15, 2021.

Respectfully submitted,  
Ruth Gutman