

Minutes from BCC Meeting 1/16/2020

In attendance: BCC members, JC Earle, Tom Willard, Matthew Polk, Phil Gentile

Guest at meeting Wendy Bolles

Discussion of agenda items. Input from all.

JC nominated Phil as chair of the BBC. Matthew seconded. All were in favor.

Recap of joint Planning Commission Meeting. Suggestion to add a 1% filing fee to go to BCC fund.

Ask proposed developers to help fund town planning position. No action.

Write annual report to submit to Corinne by Monday 1/20. Tasked to Phil

Budget request of \$2000 discussed, no needed action

JC informed us of contact w Jens from F&W and his offer to present at our meeting on 3/5.

Post meeting on FPF and website. Tasked to Phil

Decision to move ahead with extensive mapping to inform townspeople of public lands.

All in favor. JC will take lead.

Creating a new outlook on Irish Hill for hikers to enjoy. Explore how, when, and where.

Further action needed.

Discussion of the conservation value of Perrin property as the headwater of Irish Hill Brook. Inquire through Corinne Stridsberg.

Discussion of the Peppin property on Crosstown and the vernal pools. Can we protect?

Maintenance of Darling Trail. Bridge repair necessary. Find out who did previous water bar repair.

Tom will take lead.

Reach out to Brad Watson of MMBA. Ask for suggestions for new members for the Recreation Committee. JC to contact.

Submitted by Phil Gentile 1/20/2020