

Minutes of the Thetford Conservation Commission – 8 May 2013 at 7:15 PM  
Present: Li Shen, Bob Pulaski, Connie Snyder, Skip Sturman, Ann Lavanway,  
Jeff Smith, Libby Chapin

Absent: Jason Berard, Eric Pyle

1. Minutes from the 24 April 2013 meeting were approved as amended.
2. We discussed Bob Linck's visit to our 24 April 2013 meeting. Li will contact him to follow up.
3. We discussed the Crown Jewel walk that is scheduled for June 8<sup>th</sup>.
4. Connie gave a summary of the bird walk that was held last Saturday.
5. The two recent talks that were sponsored by the West Fairlee and Thetford Conservation Commissions generated \$114.00 in donations. The funds will be equally divided between the Commissions. Libby will bring the Thetford portion to Jill Graff.
6. Li gave a review of the town discussions of ATV policy. There will be an official hearing about the policy at the June 3<sup>rd</sup> Selectboard meeting.
7. The Commission will make several copies of the garlic mustard poster to post around town. We will contact Barbara McIlroy to ask about getting garlic mustard plants and displays.
8. Li reminded the Commission of the Thetford Phase 2 Geomorphic Assessment report presentation that is scheduled for May 16<sup>th</sup> at 6:30PM in the Thetford Center Community Building. At 1:00PM the same day there will be site visits of some of the major potential projects, mostly on Army Corps land.
9. The Trees for Streams buffer planting day in West Fairlee is scheduled for Saturday, May 18<sup>th</sup> from 9AM until noon.
10. Ehrhard Frost will come to our next meeting to talk about cutting timber this year on the Hughes Forest. He will invite Mike Pomeroy to attend the meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 8:57PM.

Reminder that Commission members should let Li know ahead of time if they cannot attend the next Conservation Committee meeting, so that she can plan accordingly.

Our next meeting is May 22, 2013.

Respectfully submitted,  
Ann Lavanway