

Biddeford Conservation Commission

Minutes, March 18, 2021

Called to order via remote Zoom application at 6PM

Attendees: K. Buechs, R. Rhames, C. Gastelum, M. Atlas

Absent: T. Craven, S. Amons

Guests: M. Daly, D. Rioux, M.Eddy

Adjustments/Consent to Agenda: added Clifford Park land swap proposal

Secretary's Report, February 18 and March 1 2021: approved unanimously as submitted.

Treasury Report: balance \$2153 (less \$1052 committed)

Old Business

VMU Rezoning Position Paper: Reviewed and approved position paper to be presented the Planning Board on March 24.

Natural Resources Inventory (Mark Ward): completion dependent on IT resource availability, TBD.

New Comprehensive Plan PEP: schedule has slipped about a week. Chair requested additional review of draft from members. **ACTION:** due week of 4/5.

South Street Conservation Possibilities (Maine Water and SSV LLC): Saco Valley Land Trust has entered into the conversation.

New Business:

Membership: two members have missed many meetings, plus one open position. Chair will work on absenteeism. Recruitment consideration will include skill sets and interest. Social media ads may help.

Clifford Park Land Swap and Subdivision Plan: coming before Planning Board Workshop March 24. Concerns centered around location, impact on habitat

Meeting adjourned at 8PM.

Respectfully submitted by Ken Buechs, Secretary

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