

Conservation Commission Minutes

Special Meeting, April 2, 2012

Meeting Called to Order: 6:30 p.m.

Present: Steve Wood, Chairman; Chris Irish, Nick Koloski, Steve Cutts, Dianne Harlow, Vice Chairman

Guests: Tracy Hutton, City Planner

Each year the Conservation Commission sponsors four to five campers to attend a Conservation Camp. Applicants are asked to submit an essay as to why the Commission should sponsor them to attend camp.

This Special Meeting was called to go over the applications for the Camperships as the deadline for signing up for camp is rapidly approaching. There were five applicants: TJ Daignault, Thomas Smith, Tyler Woodman, Derek Dromgoole, Joseph Marsinelli.

All applicants submitted essays that expressed their desire to learn Hunter Safety, Fishing Safety and Wildlife Knowledge. One applicant expressed a desire to attend "Teen Conference" through the University of New Hampshire, which offers similar courses.

Camp cost per camper is \$475.00; with the Teen Conference costing only \$230.00.

MOTION: To expend up to \$2,130.00 to sponsor the five Claremont children listed above, who applied, to attend various camps; Made by Chris Irish and seconded by Steve Cutts. Motion carries.

Old Business:

National Resources Inventory update: Applicants have been reviewed, references have been checked and we should be able to open the bids by next meeting.

Communication:

Citizen spoke with Chris Irish about the concrete block that had been moved off the rail trail. She was thankful that it had been moved.

Motion to Adjourn: By Nick Koloski, Seconded by Steve Cutts.

Meeting Adjourned at 6:55 p.m.

Submitted By;

Dianne M. Harlow
Vice Chairman