

Egremont Conservation Commission Meeting minutes of November 10, 2016. Town Hall, Egremont, MA. 7 PM start time.

Commissioners present: Chairman Bill Tynan, Ted Rubsamen, Alina Hsu and Ben Barrett

Guests: Mike Parsons from Kelly Grainger Parsons.

Citizen's inquiries: none.

Foresight Engineering requested that we continue the public hearing for **Shemshack 13 Nicholson Road** to December 8, 2016. Motion to continue made, seconded and approved unanimously.

**Kearsarge Energy hearing for 29 Pumpkin Hollow Road** solar project not opened due to the request received via email on November 8, 2016 from Kearsarge Energy to postpone it. The advertisement/legal ad was placed in the Record; however the application was filled out incorrectly. Bottom line: No action taken and the commission will await a new application.

**Karner Brook Bridge project.** Ted Rubsamen reports that the contractors have all the necessary permits. The sheeting will be delivered 11/11/16. Bill Tynan received email regarding work schedule on bridge. The estimated completion time is 12/12/16. Stockman associates monitoring reports are coming in weekly from Emily Stockman, most recent one was November 4.

Hearing opened for RDA for **Raphael Carman, 6 Main Street**, for subsurface septic upgrade at 7:35 PM. Site visit Monday October 31 at 4:30 PM, Mike Parsons, Bill Tynan and Ben Barrett present. After multiple perc tests failed in the northern portion, the best option was where it is proposed. Motion to close hearing 7:50. All in favor. Motion

to grant a negative 3 with the conditions that they contact the commission 24 hours before starting and upon completion. Seconded, all in favor, motion passed unanimously. Copies made, and the original DOA to be mailed to Mike Parsons on November 14<sup>th</sup>, certified.

Site visit **Branch 16 Shun Toll Road** recap: Nellie Wilson contacted the commission upon completion. Stones piled need to be removed to an upland location soon. Otherwise, work looks great. Formal site visit report drafted by Ben Barrett, and put in the file.

**Elmer Christine, Jr. 206 Mount Washington Road** emergency well drilling as their well ran dry. October 13 signed off on the emergency permit with a beginning date of November 1. Bill and Ben did a site visit on October 31. Store extra straw bales on site and add wattles.

Ben to contact Bob Algierie to request a formal letter.

Minutes of October 27, 2016 approved as submitted.

Next meeting December 8, 2016, 7 PM.

Meeting adjourned at 9:10 PM.

Respectfully submitted,



Ben Barrett,

Secretary for the Commission

