

Town of Bremen
Conservation Commission Minutes
Bremen Library
July 10, 2019

Members Present: Ann Nesslage, chair: Susan Davis
BCC Members excused: Terry Marsh, Daniel Unger,

BCC Associate Members Present: Virginia Betts . Excused: Mary
Berger

Members of the Public: Walter Radloff

Ann Nesslage opened the meeting at 5:32.
Minutes were approved but quorum questioned.

Ann reported on the Board of Selectmen (BOS) meeting as it impacts
BCC.

Hay Property. 1) Doggie bags for property have been purchased. 2)
Porta Potty is in place. Efforts have been made to deter the toilet paper
bandit. 3) Virginia Betts will follow up on more effective signage for
dog cleanup.

Town playing field. Backstop replacement is under discussion

Comment that naming rights of some of the town projects such as the
backstop or playground could encourage financial support for future
projects. What is acceptable to the town of Bremen ?

By Laws. Draft 3 was discussed. Appreciation to Kelly for retyping
them. All suggestions by BOS agreed to except for 5 f 1stsentence. 5 C
missing.

Trail Days Insurance for anyone working on trails is covered in town
insurance policy.

Date: 4th Saturday of the month. Next scheduled is July 27.

Discussion of need to get more younger people involved. Virginia Betts will work on that.

Discussion of trails available in Bremen by guest. It is not clear to many that there are trails. Need to clarify and publicize more effectively.

Susan Davis suggests establishing goals for the coming year.

Areas to be discussed include

Town website. Need to get all properties listed in one place and clarify if they are town owned or by other organization such as Audubon

More robust volunteer network

Shellfish grounds. Involvement in keeping them viable as a source of income

for clammers. Who monitors etc. Contact Glen Melvin about clam flats, etc.

Review documents on hand that pertain to BCC

Pamphlets for kiosks, update etc

Once have goals have been established, ask community to get involved.

Discussion of garden tour and the time commitment. Although this is not a BCC project, potential volunteers for BCC and some BCC members are very much involved.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:35 pm.

Next meeting August 7, 5:30 [m

Submitted by Susan Davis.