TOWN OF SHERMAN
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
Regular Monthly Meeting Minutes
Wednesday, September 13, 2017, 7:00 p.m.
Mallory Town Hall

Members Present: W. McCann, P. Bailey, C. Shulman, and M. LaVia

Members Absent: J. Wozniak Brown

Also: Clerk C. Branson

Audience: None

Call to Order: Chair B. McCann Called the Meeting to Order at 7:12pm

Minutes: Tabled to the next Meeting

Correspondence:

CACIWC- Notice of Annual Meeting November 18th, 2017 in Cromwell.

New Business:

a.) Notable Trees
Chair B. McCann and M. LaVia have measured approximately 40 trees, 25 different species. The most noteworthy to date are a 6’ diameter tree and two 5’ diameter trees. A list of species and measurements is being compiled for the Natural Resources Inventory update along with several photos.

Old Business
a.) NRIR&R Workshop

The Commission members discussed the general layout of the update and sub chapters. Chair B. McCann read into record his draft of the introduction. NAROMI has offered a list of photos to use. P. Bailey will contact Great Hollow and CT Audubon for photo submittals. The Commission discussed the desired style they would like for the cover. It was noted the State endangered list will need to be updated. M. LaVia volunteered to go to the post office and ask if he can use some of the photos they have displayed on their wall. The Commission discussed a list of locations and features to photograph in the area. The Commission continued to discuss updates throughout the new draft.

Adjourn: P. Bailey Adjourned the Meeting at 9:21pm

Respectfully submitted,

Christine Branson
October 20, 2017

APPROVED AS FINAL AT THE NOVEMBER 8, 2017 MEETING