CITY OF LACONIA
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
MEETING
October 5, 2016
6:00 PM, CITY HALL, ROOM 200A
SECOND FLOOR OF CITY HALL
45 BEACON STREET EAST

I. Call To Order (Roll Call) :
Welcome Evan Rathburn, Conservation Technician
Review of the minutes of the July 6, and August 17, 2016, September 7, 2016 and September 21, 2016 meeting

II. New Business:

1. Lake Winnisquam Watershed meeting Sept 23 at 5-7 pm at Winnisquam Marina
2. Water sampling - Lakes and Tribs
3. Review and comment on proposed Weirs Beach zoning change
4. New England Stormwater Forum Nov 15-16 in New Durham

III. Old Business:
1. Milfoil subcommittee update
2. Update on 30-foot waterbody buffer research and presentation to City Council
3. Non-Public Session with City Council concerning land acquisition per RSA: 91: A: II (d)–(roll call vote required) two sites

IV. Liaison & Sub-Committee Reports:
1. Permit Sub-Committee review and update
2. Agriculture sub-committee – update by Lisa and Dick

V. Other Business:
1. Subdivision/ Site Plan update
2. Construction site monitoring
3. Commissioners Comments
4. Messer Street Boat Ramp – owned by Eversource so Deb will talk with them to do shrub plantings, move porta potty and build and install kiosk
5. Next meeting Oct 19, 2016

VII. Adjournment

Types of previous Antioch group projects have included:
- developing, piloting and strengthening a carbon-reduction program for local businesses;
- identifying "best practices" for farmers' market operations and municipal arrangements;
- building effective grassroots campaigns for passage of legislation supporting various conservation efforts;
- climate change adaptation and planning for communities;
- environmental education program evaluation and design;
- researching and preparing recommendations for various planning boards and conservation commissions;
- assessing a solid waste program;
- completing assessment processes, natural resource inventories, and ecological studies to inform community initiatives;
- evaluation of college campus sustainability practices; and
- development of socially responsible business practices for a certified B corporation.