

Hopkinton Open Space Committee  
Thursday, October 10, 2019  
Hopkinton Town Library                7:30 p.m.  
Minutes - DRAFT

**Administration**

- Attendance: Dijit Taylor, Lucia Kittredge, Ron Klemarczyk, Rob Knight, Bob LaPree, Sabrina Dunlap, Alternate Erin Vanden Borre
- Visitor: none
- June 13, 2019 minutes were accepted as presented

**Old Business**

- Beyer Conservation Easement – Rob reported that he sent the revised easement to Phil Brown from NH Audubon, and Phil felt our edits seemed reasonable. He will present the draft to his lands committee and probably his board. He would like to walk the property in November to refresh his memory of the property
- Ransmeier parking lot - Ron reports Dan Blanchette is arranging to locate the property bounds at the Police Station. Erin has reviewed the conservation easement which has different language than a typical Five Rivers easement. Rob said that any agreement with Five Rivers will take many months so it should be started soon if the parking lot is going to be done in the spring. Dijit and Sabrina will check on progress.

**Updates**

- Trails Committee: Lucia reported on the upcoming trail opening of the Little Tooky Trail on the Rollins property. The opening is scheduled for Sunday, October 27th at 1:00 pm, starting and ending at the Gazebo at the riverside park in Contoocook Village.
- The conservation land website: Lucia is still working on updating the trail policy and maps.

**Old Business**

Lucia made a motion, seconded by Bob to adjourn to non-public meeting per RSA 91 A:3 ii (d) Acquisition of real estate. Vote unanimous in favor. Committee adjourned to non-public session at 7:54. Committee returned from non-public session at 8:49. Lucia made a motion, seconded by Ron, to seal the minute until the projects discussed become public or are removed from consideration. Vote was unanimous in favor.

- Unsealing old minutes: Rob volunteered to review old sealed minutes and bring to the next meeting a list of minutes which could be unsealed.
- Annual report: It is due January 7. Lucia volunteered to prepare the report again this year.

The meeting adjourned at 9:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Rob Knight, recorder

Next Meeting: Thursday, November 14, 2019 at Library Community Room