

**TOWN OF ASHFORD  
Conservation Commission**

**5 Town Hall Road  
Ashford, CT. 06278**

**Minutes**

**Monday February 23, 2015 at 7:30PM**

**Ashford Town Hall**

**Attendance: Gwen Haaland, Ray Fenn, Mike Gantick, Francine Hodovan guest,  
Steve Morytko, Celeste Estevez, Marian Matthews +Loretta Wrobel**

- 1. Call to Order-7:35PM**
- 2. Approval of 11-24-14 minutes-Mike motion, Marian seconded and approved**
- 3. Approval of Treasurer's Report-none**
- 4. Correspondence and Publications received-Habitat + CT Forests and Parks brochures distributed**
- 5. Presentations-none**
- 6. Member Reports and Project-none**
- 7. Old Business**
  - A. Update on OT-OF March 10 next stakeholders meeting discussing 3 areas education, municipal services and community +recreational services, good input from last meeting in Jan, info used for APOCD**
  - B. Langhammer 5 year Management Plan-added first year planning +mapping trail, marking boundaries, rules + regulations, after trail mapped consult with Wetlands, annual goals walk boundaries, maintenance + recruit stewards and inspect for invasive species, parking needs to be marked, Steve to sent input to Loretta, then schedule meeting with BOS to present management goals**
- 8. New Business**
  - A. Report on CT Forest and Parks Meeting Jan 16-Lindsay Suhr+Clare Cain from CTF+P, Dan Donahue, Marian + Loretta, wanting to connect with landowners whose properties are part of Nipmuck and Natchaug Trails,60% trails on private property, send open space plan**
  - B. Willington Expo March 14 10am-2pm-Marian table for CC, given brochures, banner, maps, etc,**
  - C. Hike /Bird Walk for CT Trails Weekend June 6+7 not this year**
  - D. Other business- Marian talked of first Sundays at Mill in Willington**
- 9. Public Comments-Francine discussed Stafford Springs meeting on fracking**
- 10. Discussion of Agenda for Next Meeting Mar 23-Loretta to prepare**
- 11. Adjournment-8:57PM**

**Respectfully Submitted,**

**Loretta Wrobel**