

**TOWN OF ASHFORD
Conservation Commission
5 Town Hall Road
Ashford, CT. 06278**

Minutes

Monday February 26, 2018 at 7:30PM

Attendance: Janet Bellamy, Gwen Haaland, Stephanie +Bill Dubinsky, Steve Morytko, Terry Wakeman, Pamm Summers

- 1. Call to Order-7:30PM**
 - 2. Approval of 1-22-18 Minutes-Gwen motioned, Janet 2nd and approved**
 - 3. Approval of Treasurer's Report-none**
 - 4. Correspondence and Publications received-none**
 - 5. Presentations-none**
 - 6. Member Reports and Project-none**
 - 7. New Business**
 - A. Tremko Trail Link -Steve+ Terry explored trail link to Rankin Property, JT willing to assist in building trail, Steve + Terry to set date to walk proposed trail to get feedback, CC, Rec Dept +OT-OF will be included in this initial assessment, possible loop trail**
 - B. Composter Sale March 24-1PM downstairs at town hall, master composter will answer questions +teach composting technique**
 - C. CT Land Conservation Conference March 17-flyer passed around**
 - D. Other business-Gwen reported on Emergency Training at Fenton Ruby, map of Langhammer to emergency responders, Willington CC signs parking lot closed at dusk, no night visitors to Langhammer so sign not needed now, Janet showed pollinator posters for plant give-away, speaker expert on pollinators perhaps program for spring**
 - 8. Old Business**
 - A. Land Use Program-well attended, positive feedback, 2CC's worked well together, speakers impressed with turnout**
 - B. Program for native plants- Stephanie will copy info in brochure plus add websites to find specific plants**
 - 9. Public Comments-Pamm Summers, guest, spoke of her work clearing trash along Turnpike Rd, Rts 89,44 +74, interested in organizing trash clean up for town, will send article to Loretta for Citizen to coordinate her volunteers from Facebook + CC to promote awareness, plan day of clean-up for April, need for supplies, discuss next time**
 - 10. Discussion of Agenda for March 26 Meeting-Loretta to prepare**
 - 11. Adjournment-9:05PM**
- Respectfully Submitted,
Loretta Wrobel**