



Town of Candia
Conservation Commission
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August 19, 2025 Meeting Minutes- Approved

Chair Judi called the meeting to order at 7:00pm, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Present: Judi Lindsey Chair, Leon Austin VC, Tom Di Maggio, Carol Howe, Ron Laverdure, Dick Snow, Admin. Assist. Janet Lewis

Absent: Ryan Young

Guests: Terri and Jim George, daughter Shannon Chism, Matt Philips

Public Comment Period: Guests presented the board with information regarding purchase of (Lot 403-9) property. This is an effort to help the town cleanup parcels that are being considered for public auction. Their intention is to conserve this area from future development on Class VI roads. They are asking for the Commissions approval and support for them to move forward and present it to the Selectboard. The Commission gave positive feedback and approval.

Regular Business:

1. Minutes of Previous meeting –Tom made a motion to accept the minutes of the July meeting. Carol seconded. Leon abstained. All in agreement. Motion passed.
2. Wetland Permit Applications – nothing at present
3. Land Use/Wetlands/Enforcement Issues – DES (Dept of Environmental Services) issued a notice of acceptance of a permit for the Candia First Stoppe to install a solar field on Tax Map 410 Lot # 160,161,162. A notice of application being complete for Eversource's Dredge and Fill Permit on a corridor of transmission lines was also received from DES.
4. Correspondence –A stewardship monitoring report from SELT was received for the Rand Easement. There were no issues to address.

5. Budget Update/ Increase & Approvals – nothing at present
6. Conservation Easements/Water Resources –nothing to report
7. Forest Management – nothing to report

Old Business:

1. GIS mapping – Inactive for now. GIS stands for (Geographic Information System)
2. Fund Grant applications – nothing to report.
3. Calendars Update – Janet will get flyers printed to announce to submit photos for this year's calendars by Sept. 5th.

Other Business:

1. Old Home Day- Is on August 23rd at Moore Park. Leon has a bear carved to donate for a raffle, with the proceeds for Barry Conservation Camp.
2. Barry Camp update – Thank you notes were received from the campers- Remy Alff and Jojo Michaels, who had attended the Barry Conservation camp this past summer. They both had a great time!
3. Scheduled hikes/trail work – in the fall

Respectfully submitted,
Janet Lewis