Shrewsbury Conservation Commission Minutes March 20, 2018

The monthly meeting of the Shrewsbury Conservation Commission was called to order by Cynthia Thornton at 5:20pm. In attendance was Grace Brigham, Chris Clarke, Pam Darrow, Peter Grace, Cynthia Thornton and Connie Youngstrom.

- 1. Minutes from the February SCC meeting were approved as read by Cynthia Thornton.
- 2. Contacted by phone, Weezie Duda reported that she will be contacting Laura Black from the Planning Commission to discuss Act 71 and then report back to us.
- 3. Chris intends to go to a Selectboard meeting to discuss our budget, Green Up Day, and confusion surrounding all.
- 4. Pam reported on the recent tracking workshop held on 3-10-18 by naturalist Ed Sharron. She gave it high marks, saying that it was valuable and well presented. Though the snow was deep and fresh and tracks were limited, the outdoor session was interesting. Attendance was 15 +- from Shrewsbury, Rutland and Wallingford.
- 5. Executive session went from 5:47- 5:50pm.
- 6. A brief preview of Green Up Day plans but most will be saved for the April meeting. We need to rethink prizes, refreshments- same as last year or something different, and whether or not to order tee shirts again. Grace has generously offered to draw announcements for the the Times.
- 7. The date for the next SCC meeting was set for 4-3-18. The agenda is, for now, as follows: 1. Green Up Day, 2. Walks and Talks 3. Budget updates 4. Moose signs (one stolen from OP Rd parking area) 5. E. Clarendon Rd trash problem.
- 8. Meeting was adjourned at 6:20pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Connie Youngstrom