

Approved Meeting Minutes
Shrewsbury Conservation Commission
April 2, 2024; 5:15 PM; Google Meet

Attendees: Michelle Greene, Linda Shelvey, Weezie Duda, Carrie Clancy, Pam Darrow, Chris Clarke, Connie Youngstrom, Peter Grace

Absent: Cynthia Thornton

Minutes:

Item	Topic	Discussion:
1	March 2024 Minutes	<p>March 2024 meeting minutes approved.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Motion made by Chris ● Seconded by Pam ● All others approved.
2	Financials	No changes since last review.
3	Class 4 Roads	Weezie shared update. Draft of policy sent to committee, still in discussion.
4	Walks and Talks	<p>Cynthia needs info for TY note to send to Luke Groff.</p> <p>May, date TBD: Location at vernal pool on on Crown Point Rd. Connie needs helpers. Pam, Linda, Peter, Michelle will assist.</p> <p>Can someone attend the May 10 preso at library to present award to Tim Stout? Linda suggested we find a SCC moose sign to give to Tim for his property.</p> <p>5/11: 7:30 am Linda and Connie bird walk at Jockey Hill Limit to 12 people with an email signup. Linda will contact Tim. Weezie will write blurb for the Times.</p> <p>Connie shared info about jumping worms preso with SCC email if anyone wants to go with her. Weezie will see if we can get a presenter here too.</p> <p>7/20: Andrea Shortsleeves habitat walk at Michelle's property.</p>
5	Invasives	<p>Not doing anything with the school because they have their own garlic mustard pull field trip planned.</p> <p>Pam will use her same invasives email contact list this year.</p> <p>Weezie suggests targeting landowners to offer to help them.</p> <p>Pam has already pulled honeysuckle. We do not need any predator shovels right now. Chris suggests that if we ever need more predator shovels, but the small ones.</p> <p>Could honeysuckle pulling be a future walk n talk?</p>
6	Green Up Day	<p>Rob making quiche and muffins for food, we do not have price.</p> <p>Youngstrom will pay excess over \$250.</p> <p>Weezie reviewed checklist and confirmed who is doing what. She will share out after meeting.</p>

7	New Business	AVCC Tree Planting Program - see their recent communication if interested Linda would like to apply for a grant for bat boxes next year. Linda and Chris will collaborate for ideas.
	Next Meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Date: May 7, 2024 ● Time: 5:15 PM ● Location: hybrid Meeting House plus Google Meet
	Adjournment	<p>The meeting was adjourned at 6:11 pm</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Motion made by Carrie ● Seconded by Pam ● All approved.

Minutes Prepared By:

- Carrie Clancy 4/2/2024

- Secretary, Shrewsbury Conservation Commission