

## MIDDLEFIELD CONSERVATION COMMISSION

405 Main Street

Middlefield, Connecticut 06455

Meeting location: Room 3

Minutes of the Regular Meeting on April 25, 2022

Call to Order 7:11 p.m.

Members Present Robin Heath, Chris, Hurlbert, Brian McDermott, and Thomas Cepega

Public Comment: none

Approval of Agenda: As Presented

Approval of Minutes: As Presented

### Old Business

Discussion of land purchased with OSWA Funding put off to a future time.

Trolley Trail: No further action needed it appears Park and Recreation Dept. has abandoned interest in the project.

No Dumping signs: Two were installed by the Public Works Dept. There are two extra signs at Public Works Garage for future use.

Town's Spring Cleanup Day was done last Saturday.

### New Business

Purchase of Trail Cameras:

Chris Hurlbert moved, 'That the Conservation Commission spend up to \$400 on trail cameras and accessories.' Brian McDermott seconded the motion.

Discussion followed on the types of cameras and how best to secure them to

prevent their damage. Wireless units were the preferred type of choice. It was further recommended that we contact the CT Game Warden for possible assistance with acquisition of cameras. It was felt that a Game Warden also might provide valuable assistance with instructions about locating the cameras in the future.

The motion was voted on and passed.

Maintenance of access roads on King Property:

Chris Hurlbet suggested that we contact Peter Tyc of the Fire Dept to see if this would be better addressed by them.

Future meeting dates for the balance of 2022 were discussed. Future meetings for this year are to be held May 23, June 27, July 25, August 22, September 26, October 24, November 28 and December 27.

Next Meeting May 23, 2022

Adjournment by acclamation

Respectfully Submitted,

*Robin Heath*

c.c. minutes, April 22