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Effingham Conservation Commission Work Session minutes, August 20, 2012

1. The work session was called to order at 6:45 p.m.

2. Emelyn reported that she did minor functional editing on the Natural Resources Chapter for the Master Plan assembled by Susan Yakutis from ECC materials.

- Harry reported he had spoken to Jory Augenti regarding a deadline for master plan submissions. Jory had projected the deadline would be next year. Em and Jack reported that this position was corroborated by Bill Piekut.
- 3. Milfoil: Jack and Emelyn met with Cliff Cabral of New England Milfoil. Cliff told them he would not be able to get to Effingham until October. He told them that with four more inches of depth his team could use suction harvesting. Harvest method will therefore depend on river depth when he begins the project.
- 4. LLP: Jack showed a concept drawing for a roadside sign for the LLP with different options for proportions and placement.
- Emelyn reiterated that ECC should have a work day at LLP with a projected date of Tuesday, September 18.
- 5. Fall Roadside Cleanup: Emelyn proposed that the fall roadside litter cleanup be canceled this year because turnout is always very low, with a resulting small yield in collected debris.
- 6. Harry proposed that ECC should have its own official set of tax maps. Emelyn said she would ask the town office for them.
- 7. The next regular meeting will be held Monday, September 10 at the municipal offices at 6:30 p.m. The next work session will be held Monday, September 17 at the municipal offices at 6:30 p.m.
- 8. Members present: Emelyn Albert (*Chair*); Harry Libby; Tim White (*Recording Secretary*); Jack Williams (*Vice Chair*); Virginia Wrabel. Absent: Dave Goulet (*Secretary*); Steph Barnes (*alt.*); Al Levesque (*alt.*); Steve Zalewski (*alt.*)
- 9. The work session adjourned at 7:26 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Tim White, recording secretary

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