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## Effingham Conservation Commission Meeting minutes, March 2, 2015

The meeting was called to order at 6:48 p.m. Dana Kantola and Jim Lynch attended as guests. They presented concerns to the commission regarding possible water pollution issues they have observed, with potential to increase. ECC suggested notifying DES as a first step, as well as contacting the BOS and following up regularly.

### Organizational Issues:

- The minutes of the February 3 meeting were approved.
- Financial report: No change. Budget should be replenished at Town Meeting.
- Town meeting begins with voting on Tuesday, March 10. The deliberative session is Saturday, March 14.

Water Issues: Still pretty firm.

Land Issues – LLP/Boat Ramp: Held over as a result of tie spent on the concerns of Mr. Kantola and Mr. Lynch.

### Education and Outreach:

- Earth Day poster contest theme is “Kids 4 Earth.”

### Other Business and Special Reports:

- Chair ordered seedlings from the NH Nursery. They will be delivered to the UNH Extension Office some time in April.
- Chair presented a flyer to promote the roadside trash cleanup on Saturday, April 25. ECC will have handouts available at Town Meeting.
- ECC thanks Virginia Wrabel for writing up ECC’s section of the town annual report.
- A presentation will celebrate World Water Day with the theme “What goes up must come down,” addressing the link between air and water pollution. It will be held on Thursday, March 26, at Runnells Hall, Chocorua, at 6 p.m.
- GMCG will hold its annual meeting on Saturday, April 11, at the Sunny Villa Restaurant, Route 16, Ossipee. Live birds from the Vermont Institute of Nature in Queechee will be featured

The next regular meeting will be held Monday, April 6, at the municipal offices, School Street, at 6:30 p.m.

Members present: Emelyn Albert (*Chair*); Dave Goulet (*Prodigal Member*); Harry Libby; Tim White (*Recording Secretary*); Jack Williams (*Vice Chair/Treasurer*); Bill Wrabel (*alt.*). Absent: Al Levesque; Virginia Wrabel.

The meeting adjourned at 8:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Tim White, Recording Secretary

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