**NCC Meeting Minutes 9/12/2017**

Baldwin Library, Wells River

**Call to Order:** The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm.

**Attendees:** Mike Thomas, Dianne Norton, Chelsea Lynes, & Guest John Ninninger

**Financial:** Mike mentioned that the NCC budget/expenses are where we’d expect at this point.

**Seasonal Projects:**

* ***Paddle the Border* -** It will be held on Sunday, October 1st. Chelsea will take care of coffee/tea and Dianne will look into muffins or something to go with it. Mike has posters for us to hand out or post.
* ***Fall Bike Ride* -** Volunteers are needed to work with Mike for traffic control. Chelsea will put out word to some bike clubs, etc. to see if any help is available. Dianne, Ami, and Carol will take care of the picnic and cookout again. Dianne & Mike can touch base on the phone for details.
* ***Goodbye Summer, Hello Fall Event -*** Mike gave a brief update.

**Management Plan, Map, & Inventory:**  Mike has received the Forest Management Plan and associated maps that Jeff Smith prepared for the Leach Family Property. These can be a foundation for the interim Forest Management Plan that will be developed, although the most recent conservation easement plan will need to be taken into consideration. Mike will email copies to the Committee.

**Newbury Planning Board Update:** Mike has been following the proposed Unified Zoning & Subdivision Bylaws and feels that the update is well thought out and should pass the vote at the scheduled public hearing in October.

**Tucker Mountain and Related Information:**  The following items were briefly discussed in regards to the roll of the Commission and/or Tucker Mountain information sharing:

* Radio Interview on Friday, September15th
* Earth Peace Day on September 21st, and drone pictures of event.
* Panel discussion on Thursday, September 14th
  + Discuss slide show of pictures.
  + Should we provide snacks/drink?
  + Information went out to many via email. We can’t tell how large attendance will be.
  + Mike will start setting up at 6:00.

**Next Meeting:** The next meeting will be held on October 10th at 7:00 pm in the Baldwin Library in Wells River.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:00.

Respectfully submitted,

Dianne Norton, NCC