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Chairman Frank Lombardi called the meeting to order at 4:30 pm

<u>Members Present:</u> Chairman Frank Lombardi, Marcia Hammon, Marsha Lombardi, Lisa Courcy, Joe Hoffmann and Secretary Tina Wright

Members Absent: David Chase (arrived at 5 p.m.) Vice Chairman Don LaPlante

Public Present: None

Approval of Minutes: A motion was made by Lisa Courcy to approve the minutes as is from the January 10, 2024 meeting. Seconded by Marcia Hammon. No further discussion. All in favor, motion carries.

Update on Rails to Trails: Marcia Hammon wanted to let everyone know since the last meeting the State of NH is going to push through rails to trails from Vermont to Woodsville to Littleton and into Whitefield. At a recent Selectboard meeting they came with a presentation on the trail.

New Business: Joe Hoffmann was sworn in as a new member of the Commission.

Correspondence: The Conservation Commission reviewed permits received from NHDES.

- Standard Dredge and Fill Wetlands Permit Application. Utility ROW. S136 Eversource project.
- RE Eversource S 136 project, Alteration of Terrain Permit.
- Documented Violation for 630 Littleton Road.

Town Forest:

Frank, will try to reach out to Lore and Lise on the town forest idea. Lisa Courcy mentioned she was shocked no one responded. Marsha Lombardi asked about writing a letter. Frank reminded her we already had.

Other Business:

Parking Lot behind Cumberland Farms.

Lisa Courcy asked if the question about the underground gas tanks in the parking lot was ever answered. Marsha Lombardi stated that Bob Stiles gave that parking lot to the Town of Whitefield. She said she thinks it is a great parking lot for the Town. The Commission has decided to put together a quick statement for Town Meeting. Lisa Courcy said she would do that.

Discussion about a new 6,000 square foot building will be going in up on Route 3 by the old 3 North Mini Mart. It will possibly house a fiber optic company.

Next meeting will be Wednesday, March 6, 2024 at 4:30 p.m.

Marsha Lombardi made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Joseph Hoffmann. All in favor. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted by:

Tina Wright, Secretary

Frank Lombardi, Chairman