



Auburn, Maine

Conservation Commission

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Mintues- August 21, 2018

- 1) Meeting called to order at 6:00pm. Roll Call: Chair-Jordan Tate, Commissioners-Tizz Crowley, Shelley Norton, Rhyanna Larose, Johnna Flood, Maurice Keene, Ben Low, Staff: Tony Beaulieu, Guest-Mayor Levesque
- 2) Public Comment/Guest Visitors
 - a) Mayor Levesque thanked the Commission for the work they have completed and spoke to them about the Mayoral Adhoc Group for Agriculture and Resource Protection, asking the Conservation Commission to appoint a member to the MAG. **The Conservation Commission Chair appointed Maurice Keene to the MAG**
- 3) Review and Approve July Minutes
- 4) Work In Progress
 - a) Nominations of Officer Roles
 - i) **Chair: Jordan Tate**
 - ii) **Vice Chair: Rhyanna Larose**
 - iii) **Treasurer: Ben Low**
 - iv) Secretary: no nominations during the meeting
 - b) Street Tree Inventory/Plantings
 - i) The inventory was recently finished and the trees are getting planted this week
 - c) Definitions of workgroups, subcommittees, etc
 - i) Maurice Keene and Ben Low updated the group on the definition matrix, discussions of voting members and appointment/selection of members
 - d) Updated city website for Conservation Commission information
- 5) Work Completed
 - a) Annual report draft
 - i)
 - b) Meeting with PR professional/opportunity
- 6) Subcommittee Updates
 - a) NOAA Grant/Littlefield Dam update
 - i) New, smaller funding opportunity due September 25, 2018
 - b) Parks Subcommittee
 - c) Lewiston Auburn Community Forest Board
 - i) Special meeting held on August 2nd

- d) LA Trails
 - i) There have been no meetings
- e) Ag Zone
 - i) August 6th City Council meeting
- 7) New Business/Commissioner Comments
- 8) Adjourn
 - a) Ben Low motioned to adjourn, Tizz Crowley seconded, voted unanimously

Respectfully Submitted,

Jordan Tate
Chair