

**TOWN OF BEDFORD
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
MEETING MINUTES
January 24, 2012**

Present: Glenn Boston, Merv Taub, Landy Labonte, Hal Newberry, Eric Buck. Also present, Karin Elmer, Planner 1.

The minutes of November 22, 2011 were tabled to the February as not enough people from that meeting were present.

Mr. Taub started a discussion on a new bill being introduced into the Legislature. There are a number of bills that directly effect conservation. Karin Elmer read proposed HB 1342, 1540, 1545, 1586 and 1515. Mr. Taub urged the members to contact their state representatives to vote in opposition to those bills. Mr. Buck sated that the Landscape Architect group was very successful with their campaign to keep licensure in NH by contacting their representatives. E-mails and phone calls seem to work well. Mr. Jones of the Bedford Land Trust stated that it is important that these bills not be supported.

MOTION by Chairman Taub to go into non-public at 7:20 pm under RSA 91-A:3 II(d) Consideration of the acquisition, sale or lease of real or personal property which, if discussed in public, would likely benefit a party of parties whose interests are adverse to those of the general community.

Roll call vote: Chairman Taub, yes; Mr. Boston, yes; Mr. Buck, yes; Hal Newberry yes; Landy Labonte, yes.

MOTION by Chairman Taub to come out of non-public session at 8:00pm all in favor.

MOTION by Landy Labonte to not publically disclose the minutes because it is determined that divulgence of the information likely would render the proposed action ineffective. Seconded by Eric Buck. Roll call vote: Chairman Taub, yes; Mr. Boston, yes; Mr. Buck, yes; Hal Newberry yes; Landy Labonte, yes

MOTION by Glen Boston to adjourn. Seconded by Eric Buck. All in favor.

Respectively submitted,

Karin Elmer, Planner 1