

## **Town of Becket Conservation Commission Meeting Minutes: May 24, 2023**

### **BCC Lakes, Ponds, and Water Resources Forums**

The Becket Conservation Commission (BCC) Meeting was held at the Becket Town Hall in compliance with the MA hybrid open meeting laws allowing applicants, contractors, and consultants to participate in person, virtually, or by audio.

Commissioners in Attendance: Chair David Johnson, Vice Chair Hank Hagenah, Doug Bessone, Christopher Clapper, John Verity, Jim Schaefer, Henry Scarpo, and Nic Pietroniro Conservation Agent

Consultants in Attendance: Dave Cameron, Emily Stockman

Attendees: 45 in person, 5 on Zoom

The Chair called the May 24, 2023 meeting to order at 11:00 a.m. The chair emphasized that the meeting is subject to the following: 1. Open Meeting Laws, 2. applications, decisions or pending actions before the BCC or the DEP cannot be discussed in the meeting, 3. comments and or information provided today are not binding on any decisions of the BCC or DEP.

See attached notes indicating the meeting's information material discussed.

Presentations and discussions 11:00 a.m. to 12:20 p.m.

Lunch was served from 12:30 – 1:10 p.m.

Live music was provided by Henry Scarpo

Presentation and discussions continued to 2:45

Rap-up – what's next

Meeting Adjourned 3:00 p.m.

Consulting fee of \$500 each for Dave Cameron and Emily Stockman approved on April 25, 2023 BCC meeting.

Food allowance budget of up to \$1,000 approved at the May 23, 2023 BCC meeting.

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Prepared by Dave Johnson, Chair

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