

Brooklyn Conservation Commission  
Minutes  
June 3, 2013  
7:30 pm Town Hall

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In attendance: Bev Thorton, Michael Oatley, Harry Adams and Diane Wimmer  
absent with notice Jeannine Noel and Dana Heilemann

Meeting was called to order at 7:34

-Minutes:

B. Thornton, (M. Oatley 2<sup>nd</sup>) made motion to approve the minutes of May 2013. Motion Passed

New Business

a) Subdivision Reviews Reviewed the Subdivision plans for property at Hyde Road and Rt 169. The commission reviewed the land maps and will send a report to P & Z.

b) Parks and Rec Fall Winter Brochure. We did not have a program to add to the brochure.

-Financial Matters

a) Budget 2013 Budget will go to town meeting on June 5, 2013

-Subcommittee Reports

Event Planning Subcommittee

- a. Recap Family Fun Day H. Adams, B. Thornton and D. Wimmer attended and helped about 150 children plant pumpkin seeds. This was a well attended event and we hope to take part again.
- b. Spooky Nights- M. Oatley and D. Wimmer attended the last meeting. We will probably help with the pumpkin contest and display. On the Sunday before, we discussed the idea of doing recycled pumpkins with families to add to the display.

-Old Business

- a. Timber Harvest update- The harvest is going well. There is still no sign saying the park is closed. M. Oatley will contact Parks and Rec to get a sign
- b. Disc Golf- The supplies will be ordered this summer.
- c. Riverside Planting- The commission planted shrubs, and perennials on May 18. Watering so far has not been a problem, because of the rain we have had. B. Thornton has been pulling bittersweet from the plants. We have had an offer to help pump water during the summer to keep the plants watered.

There has been no harrowing of the property. We have meadow mix which was to be planted. Parks and rec have offered to let us put the seed in the freezer to keep it fresh for next spring. In the meantime, we need to have the meadow mowed after Aug 15, in order to get our Whip Grant for this year. D. Wimmer will contact Austin

- Correspondence- From DEEP regarding the approval for CI&P to extend their lines

- Public Comment-none

-M. Oatley ( H. Adams 2<sup>nd</sup>) made a motion to adjourn. Meeting adjourned at 8:43

Minutes taken by B. Thornton