

SOUTHAMPTON CONSERVATION COMMISSION

18 May 1977

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The regular meeting of the Commission was held at 7 P.M. in the Town Hall with Jos. Kingsley, Chairman presiding. Also present were Bill Breyer, Ted Hendrick, Colleen Crochetiere, and Hazel Young. Also John Siabinski.

The minutes of the last meeting were accepted as read.  
The Treas. reported 40-8-C \$15,237.55; Gen Fund \$101.66; Wilkinson Fund \$226.99; Searle Fund, \$435 (still short \$50); Conant Fund \$1281.00 and interest account \$20,200.35.

Correspondence: Department of Army-permits for filling waterways (Sec. to write for further information.

DEQE-Litter olympics  
EPA-power plant scrubber and Boston Office  
Information Transfer Inc-energy symposium  
Nat. Wildlife sub-tabled  
Gazette-legal notice \$5.40  
Planning Bd-flood plain map  
Board of Health-copies of letters to Lavoie & Petreault  
Selectmen-Al & John term expired  
IPVPC-request for information

Old business-Self Help, Buy& Sell agreement with Huntleys discussed.  
Decided to contact selectment for reaction and Enid for her wishes

Colleen reported she had sent Thank you letter to WMBCo.  
Bill reported he had once again met with selectmen on Fowles property

New business: Voted to reappoint John Siabinski also Al Kleeberg if he were going to continue.

Bill presented by Sec. for clerical service and supplies, 96.26 from General Fund and 33.66 from 40-8-C funds. Also voted to pay Gazette \$5.40.

Hazel Young abstained from voting on above bill.

Commission reorganized as follows: Joe Kingsley-Chairman  
Al. Kleeberg-Vice Chairman or vacant if he is not continuing.

Hazel Young-Secretary  
Colleen Crochetiere-Treasurer  
Ted Hendrick-Historian.

The subject of spending our funds was discussed-maintenance of areas, developing trails, etc. Bill and Joe will see the selectmen on liability for hiring help.

Ted turned in the name of a possible litter bug in the Parsons Memorial Forest.

Voted to hold one meeting a month during June, July and August, though special meetings may be called.

Next meeting set for June 6. Adjourned at 9.35 P.M.

Respectfully submitted

*Hazel A. Young*  
Secretary

6 June 1977

The regular meeting of the Commission was held in the Town Hall at 7 P.M. with Jos. Kingeley, Chairman presiding. Also present were: Ted Hendrick, Colleen Crochetiere, John Slabinski, Bill Breyer and Hazel Young.

Sec. report accepted as read. Treas. reported no change.

Correspondence: BPA-bulletin  
 DEQB-new address for hearings-UMass  
 Cooperative Extention Serv.-new Forest Tax law-90% abatement  
 John Brown Assoc-Planning bulletin Self Help  
 Personnel Policy Bd-meeting June 14 7.30 P.M. Town Hall

Old Business: Enid will wait for clarification from Selectmen. Joe to meet with them tomorrow.

Joe reported hiring must be over 16 yrs old to problem with insurance. Treas. will pay out of designated funds.

Colleen called U of Mass, Mr. Holmes who suggested we call on arborist for names of people to hire.

Al Kleeberg will not be returning as member. Sec. to write thank you to him. Sec. reported the Litter Bug at Wilkinson grove was reported to police, and did clean up the area very neatly as requested.

Sec. to contact Laura immediately about summer help and set up special meeting with her-13th if possible.

Elected John Slabinski as Vice Chairman. Sec. to advertise vacancy in paper.

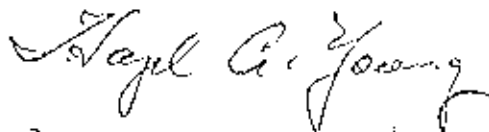
New business: Donald Prad, Middle Rd and Old Couty Rd requested permission to drain to northwest into brook beginning-run a 900' curtain drain. Approx. 7 acres of land for single dwelling. Prefer to see site, set viewing Sat. 10 A.M. Middle Rd.

Possible violation at Jonathan Judd circle-clearance had been given for this site some time ago, probably not violation.

Hiring procedures set: Laura as Supervisor at \$3. per hour. \$2.30 set for general labor. Work day 6 hours, lunch  $\frac{1}{2}$  hour-8.30 A.M. to 3 P.M. 5 days per week for approx. 6 weeks. We supply tools. Tools to include: saws, shovels, bow saw, pruners, root cutter, grub pick, work gloves, hammer, nails, rope. To hire 17 years old or older, 2 plus supervisor. To interview and hire on Sat.

Next meeting July 11 7 P.M. Adjourned at 8.50 P.M.

Respectfully submitted



Secretary

Special: Laura start July 5-8 weeks. Will get charge account at Aubuchon  
 Laura save slips. Interviews Mon June 27 7 P.M. Town Hall. Send resume's to Sec. by June 23.

July 11, 1977

The regular meeting of the Commission was held in the Town Hall at 7 P.m. with Chairman Joe Kingsley presiding. Also present were: Laura Levesque, John Labinski, Bill Breyer, Ted Hendrick and Hazel Young, Colleen. The Secretary's report was accepted as read. The Treas. reported a balance of \$15,203.89 in 40-8-C account and 0 in the General Account. No change in other accounts.

Laura reported on the walk through the Sancturay with Hazel Young. Motion was made and passed that we hire Mark Scholl to replace Phil Balkholm who had accepted a better paying job. Laura asked about the fence and it was decided to leave it in the present condition for now. Also asked about removal of two dead trees that are potentially dangerous. Ted Hendrick volunteered to cut them. Authorized 4 five gallon plastic pails for hauling brush plus 1 galvanized trash container, 1 wheelbarrow. Further authorized some lumber from Herm Andrews, saw, hammer and nails be purchased. Also decided on base pay of \$2.35 after discussion.

Report on the land on Middle Road-not within 100' of wetland and not subject to hearing.

Selectmen will contact Whitney on Buy-Sell agreement, and later conversation with Madsen indicated that because of the renewal clause not being exercised the Town not liable.

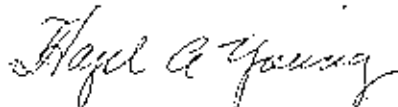
Sec. instructed to write letter to EPA inquiring into procedure for monitoring noise levels, and levels for noise pollution.  
Address: Room 2303 JPK Federal Building, Boston 02203

For use of room at Town Hall must notify Hugh Scott ten days in advance of meeting.

Colleen reported on straightening and widening of Cook Rd. Ted reported a violation at a logging site, dragging logs through brook. Joe requested copy of slash law, will meet with offenders.

Next meeting set for August 8. Meeting adjourned at 8.45 P.M

Respectfully submitted



Hazel A. Young, Secretary

August 18, 1977

The regular meeting of the Commission was held in the Town Hall Multi-Purpose Room at 7 P.M. with Jos. Kingsley, Chairman presiding. Also present were: Colleen Crochetiere, Bill Breyer, Ted Hendrick, John Slabinski and Hazel Young.

Sec. report accepted as read. Treasurer reported bal. in 40-8-C as \$14,820.04. 2 Sanctuary payrolls deducted. No other changes.

Correspondence: National Wildlife-subscriptions and stamps  
 EPA-bulletin  
 DEQE-new law July 1 re septic tanks  
 EOEA-self help available  
 DEQE-All groups & agencies listed for Water Quality  
 Cooperative Extension Service-Cons. workshop  
 MACC-update of members requested  
 Franklin County Planning Comm.-nuclear hearing  
 Sudbury Nurseries-price list on trees  
 Aubuchon bill for tools-\$124.74  
 Hampshire Cons. District-outline of program  
 MACC-newsletter  
 EPA-bulletin, Air Quality increase  
 Hampshire County Planning-newsletter

Old business: Discussion of Mike's auto body Shop violation and Dumais property meeting requirements. Visits to both sites were decided upon.

O'Connor -logging violation. Owner aware of Slash Las] area supposedly cleaned up. Ted will recheck.

New business: Aubuchon bill-\$19.69 and \$124.74. Total \$144.43. Voted to pay both bills.  
 Bills for O'Connor Lumber \$5.00 slab wood and \$16.78 for gal. of creasote. Total \$21.78. to be paid to Hazel Young. voted to pay.

Recommended a stile be built at the entrance of the Sanctuary to prevent horses from entering.

Voted to continue subscription to National Wildlife mag. to Norris School for \$7.50

Voted to pay from 40-8-C account \$1194 for 4 weeks work at the Sanctuary.

Bill will meet with the Police Chief regarding the right of way on Cook Rd.

Request was made that a Commission member be appointed to see that the Order of Conditions on Cold Spring Road be met. Joe volunteered.

Sec. requested to order 1 book "Guide to Understanding and Administering the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act" from the Mass. Audubon Society.

Next meeting 12 September 1977.

Adjourned at 9.05 P.M.

Respectfully submitted

*Hazel A. Young*  
 Secretary

The regular meeting of the commission was held in the Conference Room at the Town Hall at 7 P.M. with Jos. Kingsley Chairman presiding. Also present were Ted Hendrick, Colleen Crochetiere, John Slabinski, Bill Breyer and Hazel Young.

The Sec. report was accepted as read. The Treas. reported \$1733.05 payroll deductions from 40-8-C leaving a bal. of \$12,920.78. Total cost at the Sanctuary \$2,272.61.

Hazel reported that the tools were stored at her house-in the garage.

Correspondence: MACC - newsletter, Annual meeting and courses offered.  
Hampshire County Planning Dept.-recycling program  
MF&PA-water supply dwindling-Bills no. and content  
EPA-bulletin air pollution  
Nat. Wildlife-sub. Regional High school  
Cons. Law Foundation-July-August newsletter  
Coop. Extention Service-congratulations letter to Comm  
and copies to 4-H agent and Laura

Sec. requested to send copies to newspapers.

Old business: voted to send \$5 to John Brown Associates for bulletins.  
unanimous.

Discussion on gate to Sanctuary-Ted will check with John Garstka about posts from the highway department. Joe will call WMECo regarding the dead trees near the entrance and their removal.

Ted, Bill, Colleen and Joe had investigated the possible wetlands violation at Mike's Auto Body Shop on Rt. 10. Upon determining that there was in fact a violation and that the terms agreed upon in a personal interview and on site inspection and set forth in a letter to Mr. Marek dated April 24, 1977, the Sec. was instructed to send a Notice of Violation and a copy of the Notice of Intent to Mr. Marek by Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested.

A thank you letter is to be send to O'Connor Lumber for the mulch used at the Sanctuary.

Voted unanimously to send a Certificate of Compliance to Omer Dumais.

Joe reported that the work on Cold Spring Rd was just getting underway, the site is a mess at the moment but the Town seems to be trying to minimize the effects of construction-will recheck.

Bill reported he had contacted Rheel Labrie about maintaining access in case of fire and they will get together again. <sup>on 10/1/77</sup> Bill also will check with Steve Breyer on trees for the sanctuary.

Colleen reported she had in a conversation with Fred Fedor about the Cook Rd property discussed the problem of someone receiving injury while on town property and Mr. Fedor's concerns about the people crossing his land receiving injury.

New Business: Bills-Aubuchon's held up because of questions. Voted to send \$7.50 to Nat. Wildlife for sub. at Hamp Regional.-Gen. funds. Voted unanimously to send Chairman to Local Action Training Course at HCC sponsored by MACC.

Tabled until next meeting action on MACC Annual meeting. Voted to pay Hazel 4.19 for creosote used at Sanctuary.

Joe reported on meeting in Chesterfield re. recycling. Will take report to Selectmen for action.

Ted reported on Log cabin structure in Parsons Memorial-said we all ought to see it.

Report of fill being used on East St. on river bank-all asked to check on this.

MI. DAY-walking tour of Lead Mines Oct 8 Rain date Oct 22. Warned of potential danger. Colleen make posters. Will serve coffee doughnuts and lemonade. Joe doughnuts 8 doz. Bill lemonade, Hazel coffee and punch.-also write news article. Colleen will attend school comm meeting telling about Sanctuary/ Oct 3 next meeting. Adjourned 9.35 Respectfully submitted

Hazel Young, Sec

October 3, 1977

The regular meeting of the Commission was held in the Multi-use room at the Town Hall on October 3, at 7 P.M. with Jos. Kingsley, chairman presiding. Also present were John Slabinski, Colleen Crochetiere, Ted Hendrick and Hazel Young. Bill Breyer was absent.

Dennis Vogel and Barbara Hartman attended the meeting to see if they needed to file a Notice of Intent to fill a wetland for driveways and an electrical system to their soon to be constructed homes on Foamer Road. A small stream flows during early spring and after a heavy rain. It was determined that if they agree to riprap at both ends of the culverts under the drives, keep cutting to a minimum and seed a ground cover along the underground way for the electrical system they would not need a hearing. The Secretary was instructed to so notify them by letter with copies to John Garstka and Warren Johnson. The Sec. report was accepted as read.

Ireas reported bal in 40-8-C acct. \$12,921.09 No other changes.  
Subject of special town meeting discussed-Oct. 13-water chlorinator.

Corres: BOEA-1978 program Self Help dates Nov 1977-Aug 1978

White House Conf. on Economic development.

John Brown Assocs. school planning

Nat. Wildlife stamps

Cons. Law Foundation-request for gifts.

N. E. Natural Resources center

Hampshire County Planning Comm-conference and mailing.

Old Business: matter of Mike's Auto Body was discussed. ~~Will~~ send letter telling him he is in violation - answer by Oct 10

Ted Hendrick will get book and page number from Registry of Deeds for

Dumais property on Moose Brook so Certificate of complaince can be sent.

Ted Hendrick corrected newspaper statement -New England Forestry is private agency not state as reported.

Moved we pay Aubuchon bill of \$122.01 frpm 40-8-C account

Laura will attend annual MACC meeting and report to commission

Joe had met with selectmen regarding recycling must now meet with John Garstka who supervises the dump.

Also reported Cold Spring Road now a worst mess than before and reported on status of file cabinet.

Ted reported that no posts were available from the town. Mentioned new railroad ties were being laid. Ted would check if any available for the gate to the Sanctuary. Sec. to check if worker available for \$2.30 per hour to install.

Next meeting set for Oct. 17 Adjourned at 8.50 P.M.

Respectfully submitted

*Hayl A. Young*

Secretary

October 17, 1977

The regular meeting of the commission was held in the Multi-Use room of the Town Hall at 7 P.M. with Chairman Jos. Kingsley presiding. Also present were John Siabinski, Bill Breyer, Colleen Crochetiere Ted Hendrick and Hazel Young.

The Sec. report of the last meeting was accepted as read. The Treas reported \$12,722.31 in 40-8-C account and receipt of Gen. Fund appropriation of \$376. Bal \$356.

Correspondence: MACC newsletter-notice of meeting Robie Hubley may be contacted for ride.

Hamp. Cons. District-no regulatory power, may assist Conn. River watershed-Diversion policy Conn. River Coop Ext. - newsletter

BOR memo Aug Sept

EOEA-monitor

Cons. Law Foundation request for additional donation Selectment-Inventory request.

Old Business: Mike's Auto Body-no reply, write Cease and Desist letter stating next step a restraining order, give him 14 days, then we contact Town Council. Send return receipt requested-Certified mail. Voted unanimously. Ted made motion to follow above procedure, Colleen seconded.

Ted reported the sign at Parsons Memorial ripped off and Wilkinson sign damaged.

A remainder of the Special Town meeting Oct. 18 given.

Ted reported there may be some telephone poles available off Cold Spring. Report of Mt. Day-very successful, about 80 people attended, well behaved and genuinely interested

Sec. requested to write another letter about noise pollution. Bill reported his brother Steven had some butternut trees that would go well in Sanctuary. voted to have these planted at spot determined best by planter.

Colleen and Bill will visit Mr. Williamson regarding the problem of fill on the East side of his lawn, at nearest point to Manhan River.

New Business: Colleen reported on her visit to the PTO-stressed our trail foot trail only, might be used in Mini-courses in Spring.

Bills presented as follows: Mt. Day-to Joe for doughnuts \$10.73

Hazel coffee etc 4.76 15.49

Bill moved, Ted seconded these be paid. Hazel and Joe abstained.

Hazel moved, John seconded we purchase Conservation Foundation News letter for one year. unanimous.

Moved we not send extra gift for matching funds this year to above.

Joe reported on his school classes that he attending at Holyoke Community.

Reported on Corp. of Engineering booklet-Wetland Plants of Eastern USA

@ 4.10 per copy- moved, seconded and voted we purchase. Will have field trip to Arcadia shortly.

Next meetings Nov 7 and 21. Adjourned at 8.55 P.M.

Respectfully submitted

*Hazel Young, Secretary*

November 7, 1977

The regular meeting of the commission was held in the multi-use room at the Town Hall at 7 P.M. with Jos. Kingsley, Chairman presiding. Also present: Bill Breyer, John Labinski, Ted Hendrick, Colleen Crochetiere, Hazel Young and associate member, Laura Levesque.

Because Mr. Breyer had to leave early the budget was discussed in detail. A total expenditure of \$535+ was established. Sec. to check Latka printing for cost of letterhead stationary. Bill also announced that the Lower Pioneer Valley Planning Commission would like representatives of the 3ds of Selectmen, Water, Planning, Health, Parks be present at our Nov. 21 meeting to discuss a Water Quality Comm. Sec. to notify other boards.

Sec. report accepted as read.

Treas. reported 40-8-C expenses booklet \$4.10=balance \$12,830.22.

Gen. Fun \$340.51

recd. Interest \$207.60 to Conant Fund-bal. \$1,691.20

Correspondence: DEQE-new formula for determining Self Help  
Corps of Engineers-Wildflower booklet  
Thank you from Hamp. Regional for National Wildlife mag.  
Litchfield Conn. conservation bulletin  
MP&PA-legislative bulletin-#1725 of interest  
Mass. Advocate-newsletter 24 issues \$10

Old business: Colleen reported Cook Rd property-telephone poles and dirt pile in place at entrance. Also Easthampton entrance closed off. Reported she and Bill had spoken to Mr. Williamson about fill problem-will built cement block fence to prevent erosion.

Joe will pick up poles for Sanctuary entrance-Sec. to contact young man for work.

Joe reported on his classes at Holyoke Community College.

New business: Cannot send Certificate of Compliance to Omer Dumais since the Order of Conditions was not on file at the Registry of Deeds.

Colleen asked about buggy trails at the request of a group of people interested in horse and buggy trails-suggested she inform them of little used roads in town like Little Mt. Rd. Crooked Ledge, DeLisle Rd and others in the west part of town.

Next meeting set for Nov. 21 Adjourned at 9.13 P:M.

Respectfully submitted

*Hazel A. Young*  
Hazel Young, Sec.

Prior to the regular meeting of the Commission, Mr. John Fossett of the Lower Pioneer Valley Regional Planning Commission spoke on Public Law 92-500. Present from the commission were: Jos. Kingsley, Ted Hendrick, Colleen Crocheteire, Bill Breyer, John Slabinski and Hazel Young. Also present were Art. Sattler, Don Madsen and Gene Miller, Selectmen, Tom Camileri and Ron White, Bd. of Health, John Garstka, Highway Dept, and Dennis Nolan of the Park Comm. Mr. Fossett mentioned briefly Section 402 of the above law which deals with commercial or industrial pollutants, Section 201 on municipal sewage needs, but primarily of section 208 which is non-point pollution. These might include but are not limited to: agricultural runoff, landfill sites, old dumps, non-operating septic systems, large paved areas, road salting. Southampton should appoint a representative to feed information to LPVRPC from a citizens Task Force. Rep. would meet once a month with either Conn River or Westfield River Watershed group. Will be a big meeting Dec. 14 with many reps. 4% of funding is earmarked for individual and community septic systems, package treatment types. There will be more of these funds available to smaller communities than the town sewage type funds. The task Force would provide LPVRPC with Water Quality Problem Area Inventory type of information (from "Work Program for 208"-handed around)

Sec. report was accepted as read. Treas. reported no change.  
Correspondence: Nat. Wildlife-stamps & Christmas gift list  
Selectmen-re. inventory  
LPVRPC- re self help  
Hampshire Planning Dept- re recycling  
Cons. Law Foundation- Book and newsletter.  
Cooperative Extension Service- re Town Energy Cons. Comm.

Old business: no response from Latka on price of letterheads.

Joe had gotten pretreated poles for sanctuary entrance. Rick Brown had set same, and will do fencing when available.

Joe, Bill and Colleen will revisit site of Mike's Auto Body shop.

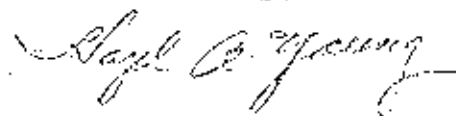
Joe gave a comprehensive report on the classes he is attending at HCC.

New Business: Sec. requested to write to Ruth Norton asking about her land on Little Mountain, is it for sale, asking price etc.

Next meeting Dec. 5      Adjourned at 9.45 P.M

Respectfully submitted

Hazel Young, Sec.



December 19, 1977

The regularly scheduled meeting of Dec 7 was cancelled because of weather and the regular meeting of the commission was held Dec 19 in the Multi Use room of the town hall beginning at 7 P.M. with Jos. Kingsley Chairman presiding. Also present were Ted Hendrick, John Slabinski, Bill Breyer, Colleen Crochetiere and Hazel Young.

The secretary's report of the Nov 21st meeting was accepted as read. The Treas. reported no change in all accounts.

Correspondence: Notice of Intent from Big Y  
 MACC-newsletter-will get copy of Growth Policy report  
 Coop Extension Service-Agi land maps for sale \$400  
 DEQE-Control of Aquatic Vegetation-get questionnaire  
 DEQE-Formation of Lakes Assoc.  
 MF&PA-water pollution  
 MF&PA-request for donation and info on solid waste  
 Modern Talking Picture Service-film on Jet Noise  
 Tighe & Pond-Notice of Intent-do they need hearing  
 Telephone conversation Colleen-wetland violation.

At this point Charles L. D'Amour, Maurice Labrecque and Wayne Brodeur representatives of the Big Y attended the meeting, corrected earlier map discussed proposed project, and announced they were closing down work because of the excess water at the site due to recent storms. After much discussion it was decided that no discision could be reached until we saw a detailed plan of their method of dispossing of water run-off from the proposed parking lot and buildings-this plan had not been included in the request received. Mr. Brodeur promised to get that material to us, prior to our next meeting.

Old business: Bill and John reported they had met with people at MIke's auto body shop. Was cordial and hospitable, agreeable to a line straight down from the storm drain to about 8 feet from fence line. Will remove the cement chunks and other debris and in the spring will reseed the banks. Also agreed to the commission members returning to check site. There followed a discussion on property line, but since this was not our concern left that subject.

Joe, Colleen and Ted had attended finance committee meeting and gave report.

Reminder that to use Town Council we must go through Selectmen

Paul Labrie had taken fallen trees from Sanctuary with permission  
 Voted to reimburse Joe for 4x4x16 posts used in Sanctuary \$30.46. Joe abstained from vote.

New Business: Voted unanimously that Water Commission does not need hearing for water treatment plant on Gilbert Road.  
 Commission members to meet 10 A.M. Bob's Auto Salvage on County Road to investigate wetland violation of Broad Brook which had earlier been reported to and investigated by Colleen. She reported new owner definitely filling.

Next meetings January 9 and 23, 1978

Meeting adjourned at 9.30 P.M.

Respectfully submitted

*Hazel A. Young*

The meetings of January 9, 23 & Feb. 6 were cancelled because of bad weather. The regular meeting of the comm. was held in the multi-use room of the Town Hall at 7 P.M. with Jos. Kingsley, Chairman presiding. Also present were: Colleen Crochetiere, John Slabinski, Hazel Young, Ted Hendrick and Bill Breyer.

Sec. report of Dec. 19 meeting accepted as read and corrected.  
Treas. reported bal. of \$12,772.92 in 40-8-C account. No change in others

Because of large amount of correspondence and business from it, the regular order of business was omitted and each item acted upon as read.

From DEQE with file numbers for work on Manhan Rd., Pomeroy Meadow Rd and Water Bd. work at Gilbert Road.

Notice of Intents from Town on catch basins on Manhan Rd-voted no hearing required by unanimous vote.

Pomeroy Meadow Road stump dum, voted to hold hearing on March 6, Sec. to notify all interested parties with Chairman to take care of legal notice.

State Planning Comm-Growth Policy final report. Synopsis by Sec. passed  
J.P. Stevens-annual report

Action Program EPA-jet noise report. passed it on to other members  
Dygart report-bill for \$2.84 from Gen. Expenses

Ex. O. Env. Affairs-3 environmental monitor reports  
S'hamp Fin. Comm. - \$470 budget approved 1978

DEQE, Amherst-Big Y, need locus map, septic system incomplete, run-off report incomplete. Sec. to notify, also need \$25. hearing fee and \$5.40 legal notice fee if hearing is needed.

Aubuchon bill-left over from summer \$45.24 to come from 40-8-C

MFSPA-bottles & cans to J. Carter, legal bulletins 3rd class.

Cooperative Extension Service-Cons. workwhop for Feb. To late for action may send someone July, August sessions.

Con. River Watershed Assoc-annual dues \$26. Voted to rejoin from Gen. Exp  
Bikeways newsletter-much discussion nearby proposed bikeways and others known to members. Possible for future action.

Northeast Outdoor Memo

Cons. Foundation- two newsletters.

MACC-newsletter with announcement of annual meeting. Some member may attend a portion of meeting.

Mass. Audubon-notice of Feb. 25 workshop cost \$3.00

Soil Cons. Services-reminder of services available.

EPA-list of publications

Telephone-free cutting and slash on White Loaf Road. Joe will contact Bruce Anderson of state forest service.

Mrs. Bachholm called about son available for work. Sec. mentioned Mike Woods also available.

Next meeting set for March 6 with hearing.

Adjourned at 9.10 P.M.

Respectfully submitted

*Hazel A. Young*  
Secretary

March 6, 1978

Hearing on the stump dump was convened at 7 P.M. in the Conference Room of the Town Hall with Chairman Jos. Kingsley presiding. Also present from the commission were Ted Hendrick, Bill Breyer, Colleen Crochetiere, Hazel Young and John Slabinski. Present also was Bud Huntley, Tom Camileri, John Garstka for the town and Martha Johnson of the Westfield news. Mr. Huntley reported that due to the snow cover, the survey requested by the Western District DEQE, and requested a continuance of the hearing. It was moved, seconded and passed unanimously that a continuance be granted until March 20, 1978. Based on information received from the western District DEQE and in conference with Mr. Huntley and Mr. Garstka it was also moved, seconded and voted unanimously to also hold a hearing on the Manhan Road drain installation on that same date, March 20, 1978.

Regular meeting opened at 7.30 P.M. with Mr. Glenn Ofcarcik from Pharmer Engineering Corp representing the Big Y trust, presenting the requested information on the drainage system for water run-off and septic system. Tom Camileri, Chairman of the Board of Health reported the septic system plans were on file with his office and he would bring them to a hearing. Also reported on the testing done at the property for water retention. We further requested a cross section of the dropoff to the retention pools. As all other information requested was presented it was unanimously voted to hold a public hearing on the Big Y Notice of Intent at 7.30 P.M.

The sec. report of the Feb. 20 meeting accepted as read.  
Treas. reported bal. \$12,740.43 in 40-8-C to include \$12.75 fr sale of maps  
\$311.67-Gen. exp with no change in other accounts.

Corresp. from DEQE-hearing required after Notice of Intent filed.  
bill from Gazette \$5.85 for legal notice-turned over to town  
DEQE-Environmental Monitor  
Oral-from Haskell's of High St. re Brook work, should file  
request for determination  
MACC- annual meeting agenda  
Arbor Day Newsletter-turned over to Park Comm.

Old business-Joe reported on meeting with Bruce Anderson, Adherst. Turned information on work on White Loaf Road and County Rd N. to state forester. State Forester and Joe inspected sites, are in violation and Forester will send letters to both violaters with 30 day notice and will get back to us on action taken.

New business: Joe will attend Selectmen meeting Mar 7 to turn in bill for legal notice, and discuss the problem of the key.

Sec. requested to ask assistance at Big Y hearing of LPVRPC on non-point pollution possibility.

Sec. read draft copy of Annual report, accepted by members and will be typed accurately and forwarded to Town Clerk.

March 20 next meeting.  
Adjourned at 9 P.M.

Respectfully submitted

*Hazel A. Young*  
Hazel A. Young, Sec.

March 20, 1978.

The Comm. conducted 3 hearings in the large meeting room at the Town Hall commencing at 7 P.M. with Jos. Kingsley Chairman presiding. Also present from the Comm. were: Colleen Brochetiere, Ted Hendrick, John Slabinski, Bill Breyer and Hazel Young. Also present were Gene Miller, Art Sattler, Don Madsen, Selectmen; Tom Camilleri and Don White, Bd of Health, John Gartska, Bud Huntley, Bruce Coombs, Charles Ouimette, Bob Leveille, Warren Johnson, Mark Annis, Doug Madsen and three other interested persons. Maurice Lebrecque and Bill Pharmer representing the Big Y, Tom Cooney from LPVRPC and reporters from the Gazette and Westfield News were also present.

Joe read the entire legal notice and we proceeded with the Stump Dump hearing. Bud Huntley showed cross sections and existing and planned grades, explained the covered pipes, site will be loamed and seeded as filled. Proposed site will cover 42,200 cubic yards, length of pipe will be 350 ft. 15" pipe to provide access and egress for water flowing through site. Layer of rock cover will prevent leaves etc from entering pipe and making maintenance unnecessary. Cost of project to be done over three year period. There is no legal right of way in writing and it was suggested this be considered. No easement on site. Plans as requested by Iantosca will be sent out Tuesday the 21st.

Manhan Road project also explained by Bud. 400' north of Russellville Rd pipe would enter river, 12" pipe to be used at a 1% slope from road to river for a distance of about 20 ft. A drain will be installed with sump etc the typical road side drain installed by town on both sides of the road just below Snyder house on Manhan Rd.

Bill Pharmer, Engineer presented the material for the Big Y. Black top parking lot with drains and catch basins-these to run to settling basins, to catch run off, sediment etc. In case of freeze up this material would flow over a two ft embankment into river. Perc tests should 2ft-4 min per min. Sediment would be scraped yearly from basins. 5-10% grade for pipe over 40 ft distance. Manhold to act as velocity break.-riprapped into basin/ No alteration planned for existing brook. River about 10ft below basin. Clay base site-increase of runoff rate will be minimal. Septic system approved by Bd of Health 11/15/77.

The regular meeting began at 7.58 P.M. with the minutes being not read. Conditions set tentatively for Big Y-no salt on parking lot, basins must be cleaned annually. At this point on the advice of Tom Cooney it was voted to postpone further conditions until April 3.

On both the stump dump and Manhan Rd it was voted to include no extra conditions, but the engineering plans must be followed.

Correspondence: LPVRPC-re landfill dump. Southampton rated 1-lowest WM Civil Engineers-Recovery program April 1-Uof Ma-landfill sites P.V. Air Pollution Control District-hearing March 30-Northampton Northeast Outdoor memo

New Business: Voted to hold Keep America Beautiful Day April 22. Hazel to get info and make plans.

Voted to hire Laura Levesque as Sanctuary Super. summer 1978 with purchase of supplies to remain with the Commission.

Meeting adjourned 10.25 P.M. Next meeting April 3

Respectfully submitted

*Hazel A. Young*  
Sec

April 3, 1978

The regular meeting of the commission was held in the large meeting room at the Town Hall, beginning at 7.10 P.M. with Jos. Kingsley, Chairman presiding. Also present from the Commission were Colleen Crochettiere, John Slabinski, Bill Breyer, Ted Hendrick, Hazel Young, Assoc. Laura Levesque, three towns people and reporters. Minutes of the last meeting were accepted as read. Ineas. reported no change in all accounts.

Corresp: phone-Ron Nemeth, College Highway of floats unlimited-investigating Manhan River for stocking from Lyman dam to Easthampton Dam.

Soil Conservation Service-Agri maps supplemental to existing maps.

Cost \$400-free in pilot project to Southampton. Voted to accept offer, Sec. to write and so inform, also dates of upcoming meetings.

Conn. River Council-Annual meeting announcement

Environmental News.

LPVRPC-minutes of CIF

LPVRPC-extent of control of construction sediment.

DEQE-phone-re Big Y and letter copy of enforcement order.

Old Business-Discussion of Big Y conditions, voted unanimously to deny application on basis of inadequate or contrary information and design not appropriate for flood plain.

KAB Day-Hazel gave more information, will need to purchase large bags will write to support bottle bill after collection on KAB Day.

Laura Levesque asked about starting earlier with George on planning, preparing some materials, ordering materials and redesign as needed.

It was agreed some ahead planning should be done by Laura with pay. Laura to submit tentative plans for pre-work and time table for summer.

New business: Colleen requested permission to gather downed and dead wood from Sanctuary. Permission granted.

Next meeting set for April 17th, with tentative meeting at DEQE-Amherst for afternoon.

Voted unanimously to go into Ex. Session for the first time in our history to discuss personalities.

Joe will go to selectmen on the problem of getting copies done at the Town Hall machine.

Meeting adjourned at 9.40 P.M.

Respectfully submitted

Secretary

The regular meeting was held in the multi-use room of the Town Hall at 7 P.M. with Jos. Kingsley, Chairman, presiding. Also present were Bill Breyer, Ted Hendrick, John Slabinski, Colleen Crochetiere and Hazel Young. Secretary's report of the last meeting was read and accepted. Treas. reported sale of maps 9.75 leaving bal. 40-8-C \$12,750.12 no change in other accounts.

Correspondence: Conn. River Watershed-Valley newsletter  
Huntley Assoc. copy of letter re maps to DEQE  
MACC-questionnaire re 40-8-C  
Dpt of Environmental Management-Mass Outdoors check with Dennis Nolan of Park Comm. re this material  
Co-op Ext. Service-newsletter  
Title V Workshop May 6 - LPVRPC  
Robert Brown Assoc. offer to meet with us re wetlands.  
Environmental news bulletin  
EOEA-future water quality, agri use SE Ma.  
MACC-bulletin-Fed funds YCC, June 7 MACC workshops  
Mass Farm Bulletin-subscription price and info.  
Cons. Law Foundation-Gorges Banks, publications and newsletter  
LPVRPC-CTF materials  
Bikeways Inc. info bulletin  
EPA-newsletter.

Commission recessed at this point to attend Board of Appeals hearing.

Old Business: May 15 date of Soil Cons. Service visit to our meeting  
Bill from Gazette for legal ads- \$7.80  
Joe for garbage bags KAB Day \$27.35  
Hazel sec. services and supplies \$114.46  
on last two bills Joe and Hazel abstained, 4 Yes votes.  
Margaret J. Madsen-Notary fees for Orders of Conditions \$11.50

Voted to pay all bills in the amount of \$161.11

Bill and Colleen reported they would look at Mike's Auto Body property to see if he was meeting the conditions set forth in letter. John and Ted may also go. April 22, 10 A.M.

Joe reported he had met with selectmen regarding copying of forms. We have clearance to make all copies necessary.

Letter from DEQE taking jurisdiction over #289-20, the town "stump dump" Ted and Colleen reported they had gone with DEQE, John Gartska and Bud Huntley to view site.

Hazel gave an update on KAB Day

Next meeting May 1, 1978 adjourned at 9.40 P.M.

Respectfully submitted

*Hazel A. Young*  
Secretary

May 1, 1978

A hearing at the request of the Big Y was held at 7.15 P.M. in the General meeting room of the town hall, with Jos. Kingsley Chairman presiding. Also present from the commission were John Blabinski, Ted Hendrick, Colleen Chochetiere, Bill Breyer, and Hazel Young, also present were Wayne Brodeur and Donald D'Amour of the Big Y, Glenn Ofcarsik of Pharmex Engineer, Tom Camilleri Bd of Health, two reporters and 6 town's people. After the legal notice was read, Brodeur and Ofcarsik presented the details of the plan, questions were raised by members and then several unanswered questions from past hearings were answered to town's people. The hearing closed at 8 P.M. The following Order of Conditions were accepted unanimously prior to the regular order of business: No more than 2% calcium chloride to sand on parking lot; catch basins inspected and cleaned twice yearly, all work done in accordance to submitted plans, all buffer zones and slopes seeded, restore all riprapped areas and outlet channels; dam-type riprap areas cleaned and inspected twice yearly-Fall and Spring. The regular meeting began at 8.25 P.M. Sec. report accepted as read. Treas. reported Gen Fund now \$150.66, others no change.

Correspondence: Selectmen-expiration of terms, letter for reappointment  
 MF&PA-Sun Day may 3, Nancy Anderson Jr. term expired.  
 Co-op Ext. - Federal regulations cited.  
 EPA-federal register  
 Co-Op Ext-Rural development fund, July 1 funds available.  
 MACC-dues  
 Request for Determination-Garstka Highway dept  
 - F. Scott Duncan  
 Phone call re Bottle Bill-Mailgram sent to Bernashe  
 Phone fr MACC-re Bottle Bill  
 Aspen System Cop-Energy Source Book-\$49.50  
 Edw. L. Giercyk-Environmental Officer-re Tetreault -taking to  
 court over 30 days, Strong Rd. violation cited.  
 LPVRPC-copy of letter to Zoning Bd of Appeals re Big Y.

Old business: Bill, John Joe vistied Mike's auto Body Shop, already hired someone to clean area, too wet to work will proceed. Large cement blocks removed to dump, will reseed will notify comm. thru John Hazel gave KAB report.

New business: Ted volunteered with Bill and Hazel volunteering to help clean up slash in Strong Rd side of Sanctuary prior to next meeting.  
 Moved to rejoin MACC for \$40 unamiously voted.  
 Voted unanimously that no hearing need be held on request from Highway Department to replace culvert since this was maintenance.  
 On request from F. Scott Duncan voted to table until Hazel, Colleen and Joe who all volunteered, had a chance to inspect site.  
 On CEIA request-Joe will follow up on this  
 Voted unanimously to pay John Latka \$50.40 for lett#heads and envelopes.  
 Colleen reported on her visit to the fifth grade.

Meeting adjourned at 9.45 P.M. Next meeting May 15

Respectfully submitted

*Hazel Young*  
 Secretary

May 15, 1978

The regular meeting of the commission was held in the multi-use room at the Town Hall with Jos. Kingsley chairman presiding-7 P.M. Also present were Colleen Crochettiere, Bill Breyer, John Slabinski, Ted Hendrick and Hazel Young.

The minutes of the last meeting were accepted as read. The Treas reported:  
40-8-C no change. General Expense bal. \$60.16

Correspondence: Fr. Sen. Bernashe excuses for voting against bottle bill.  
EPA- 2 newsletters  
Invitation to workshops in Washington DC  
Community Resource Dev. re budgets  
DEM-list of scenic rivers, including the Manhan

Old business: Town Highway Department agreed to move slash.

No action at Mike's Auto Body, John to recheck.

Colleen and Hazel reported on site visit to Duncan on Russellville Rd. agreed a Notice of Intent should be filed. Motion was made and passed that a copy of Notice of Intent for filing be sent to Mr. Duncan along with letter regarding mulching, hay bales, etc to prevent further erosion.

Bill and Colleen to revisit Williamson, Sat. May 20 at 10 A.M.

Bills: Nat. Wildlife renewal Norris school 7.50 fr Gen. Fund  
Hamp Gazette-legal notice 5.85 check to cover from Big Y  
Phone for Joe 4.30 Gen. Fund-Joe abstained  
Colleen for tape 1.38 Gen. fund-Colleen abstained  
\$19.03 voted to pay.

Request for determination Haskell on High St. Tables action until next meeting to give members time to investigate.

Recessed at this time to hear Charles Dauchy of the Hampshire Cons. District on Agriculture Maps and what they have to offer in way of services. Joe Slattery of the Water Dept. and Chuck Oumette of the Planning Board sat in on this with us. Oumette asked for "blow up" of maps to zoning size.

Sec. to write to Conway School of Landscape Design re Hampden Ponds Community book on natural resources there, cost etc.

Motion was made and passed to send one person to 4-H Conservation School at Ashland to both the beginner and advanced courses. Sec. to write article for new release.

The reorganization of the Comm. was tabled until our next meeting on June 5. adjourned at 9.20 P.M.

Respectfully submitted

*Hazel A. Young*  
Secretary

The regular meeting of the Comm. opened at 7 P.M. in the multi-use room at the town hall with John Slabinski, Vice Chairman presiding. Also present were Ted Hendrick, Colleen Crochetiere, Bill Breyer and Hazel Young. Colleen read the minutes due to laryngitis of the Sec. Accepted as read. Treas. reported 41.13 bal in Gen Fund. No change in others.

Correspondence: Hampshire Cons. District - questionnaire  
Thank you from 1st Congo Church and Hugh Scott family.  
Info on stump jump  
Application letter-Tom Bashista for Cons. School  
Virginia Touchette for work in Sanc.  
LPVRPC-Rural Community planning-problems of, Sewer Const.  
in and Resolution of Sewage Disposal plans.

Old business: will visit Mike's auto Body shop Sat. A.M. Send Haskell's copy of Notice of Intent.

Reorganization: Chairman Bill Breyer  
Vice Chairman Jos Kingsley  
Secretary Hazel Young  
Treas. Colleen Crochetiere.

Laura - job description for summer 1978. \$4000 limit to summer. Voted to pay Laura \$3.30 per hour. she had asked \$3.50. Treas. to notify Laura of her pay scale. Hazel to serve as liaison for the Comm. Interviews set for 7 P.M. Town Hall June 14.

Present a phone bill of \$7.26 - Hazel

June 19 set as next meeting.

Adjourned at 10.10 P.M.

Respectfully submitted

*Hazel A. Young*  
Secretary

The regular meeting of the Southampton Conservation Commission was held June 19th at the Town Hall with Bill Breyer, chairman presiding. Also in attendance were Ted Hendrick, Hazel Young, John Slabinski, and Colleen Crochetiere.

The meeting was delayed 45 minutes to allow for cancellation of a thunderstorm warning.

The minutes were read and accepted. The treasurer reported no change in 40-80 and a balance of \$33.87 in General Expense.

Corres: CETA notice - Joe to send reply  
 Acknowledgement from NWF for W. E. Norris School  
 EPA Bulletin  
 Westfield River watershed council

Old Business:

Mikes Auto Body: John reported work has ~~xxx~~possibly begun

Sanctuary Project: Laura reported, through Colleen, having trouble finding pine slabs and chips. Possible sources discussed were Town, Asplundh Tree Service, and Cotton Tree Service. It was voted and seconded to allow Laura \$20.00 credit for incidental items between meetings. Other than that she is to get approval at the regular meetings for planned expenses. Hazel to oversee work in the meeting interim.

Hazel reported an increase in the fee to send Tom Bashista to Conservation School from \$65 to \$70 per session. Discussion followed concerning possibility of in the future paying  $\frac{1}{2}$ . It was voted to pay the increase this year.

Notice of Intent were mailed to Mr. Pasquini, Bill Breyer, and Don Hallard. ~~Haskell~~

New Business:

It was agreed we should

- a. Notify town social groups that we want donations for plantings in the sanctuary
- b. These and previous plantings should, if possible be woven into the trail.

Hazel to look into "highlight" plaques

Meeting adjourned 8:50 Next meeting July 10, 1978

*Colleen Crochetiere*

COLLEEN CROCHETIERE  
 Recording Secretary

The regular meeting of the Southampton Conservation Commission was held on July 10 at the Town Hall. In attendance were Bill Breyer, Ted Hendrick, Joe Kingsley, Colleen Crochetiere, and Laura Levesque.

The meeting was called to order at 7:40PM. The minutes were read and accepted. The treasurer reported no changes.

#### Correspondence:

Community Resource and Development newsletter  
 HUD - Completed plan for Flood Plain Insurance to be discussed at meeting in Town Hall on August 29 at 7:30PM  
 DEQE: In regards to Big Y - No license will be required at this time under the Wetlands Protection Act.  
 Environmental Defense Fund: Solicitation for membership  
 Wentworth Institute of Technology: Letter about new program  
 Commonwealth of Mass, Office of Community Development, Growth Policy Board - The questionnaire we filled out. Going to try to concentrate on revitalization of the large cities.  
 EPA Newsletter  
 Rural Development Newsletter

#### Old Business:

Joe reported that CETA is all booked up right now. We may be able to get adults at the end of the Summer. Hazel to write letter to them to let them know we have a need for workers.

Bill suggested we go by the Big Y site to monitor their progress on Monday, July 17. We will also go by Mikes Auto Body, and Williams on East Street.

Sanctuary Project: Laura reported that Ed mentioned he may only work for five weeks. Work has progressed. They have cleared the trail and turned the ground over down to the river. Colleen to contact Aubuchon to set up charge for this year.  
 Bill is not going to submit his application for wetland work until this Fall because they will delay the project until next Spring.

#### New Business:

Dick Ahardt from Fomer Road was looking for information about land belonging to the Conservation Commission formerly owned by Josephine Deptula. Wanted to know what control donor has over land donated. It was determined that the Conservation Commission does not own this land nor has it been offered to us. It was explained that the donor can indicate certain restrictions or privledges when the land is donated. Colleen to check at Town Hall about delivery of pay checks.  
 A motion was made, seconded and voted upon unanimously to pay Laura \$38.30 to cover planned expenses till next meeting. It was also voted to approve \$1,405.06 covering the first ~~three~~ weeks of work in the Sanctuary.  
 Colleen requested and received a map of the town for the Women's Club. It was decided town orginazations can receive a map upon request, free of charge.  
 The next meeting will be held July 31st at 7:00PM  
 Meeting ajourned at 8:55PM

*Colleen Crochetiere*  
 RECORDING SECRETARY

The regular meeting of the Southampton Conservation Commission was held on August 14, 1978 at the Town Hall. In attendance were Hazel Young, Gill Breyer, Ted Handrick, Colleen Crochetiere, and Assoc. Laura Levesque

The minutes were accepted as read  
The treasurer reported \$9,438.25 in 40-8C and \$400.00 in General Exp.

Corres:

- Invitation by Mass. Cooperative Services to Farm Tour on Aug 24, 1978
- Conserv. Research & Development
- Pioneer Valley Newsletter
- Northeast Memo
- Town Hall Inventory Request
- LPVSPA: Re Water Quality - Directed to Board of Health
- National Wildlife RE: Hamp. Reg. subscription
- Conservation Law Foundation
- New Regulations on the Wetlands Protection Act - New notice of intent and order of conditions
- Division of Conservation Services - Request for update on our membership
- Conn. River Watershed Council

Old Business

Laura reported the trail is done. Glennie and Laura are working on the book. Woodchips are needed on a small part of the trail. Hazel suggested the Girl Scouts could take care of this. Laura would like to see indicator post put in. All the tools are at Hazels.  
 It was decided to wait until next year for CETA workers  
 Hazel visited Big Y - Work is OK  
 Mikes Auto Body - Soil Conservation Service will only act on request of owner. Bill so informed them.  
 Williams - Wife to relay Soil Conservation Service message (Same as Mike's)  
 John Garska has no objection to Williams berming the area

New Business

Check erosion at Primary School. Bill suggest reps. attend School Committee meeting to discuss This problem.  
 Bill suggested we get involved by way of an information night with local farmers, extension service personell or others involved in the Farm Act.

The motion was made and accended to pay:

1. \$7.50 - National Wildlife for Hamp. Regional
2. \$1.50 - Hazel for toll cas to DEJE

Next meeting set for September 18, 1978 at 7:00PM

Meeting adjourned at 8:35PM

*Colleen Crochetiere*  
 COLLEEN CROCHETIERE  
 Secretary

The regular meeting on the conservation commission was held at 7:00PM in the Multi-Use Room at the Town Hall

Present were: Bill, John, Joe, Ted, Hazel and Colleen

The treasurer reported a balance of \$8932.02 in 40-8C and a balance of \$991.00 in General Expense.

Corres:

Bill from Aubuchon Hardware for Sanct. supplies  
National Wildlife acknowledgement for Hamp. Reg  
Letter from 4-H announcing cancellation of 4-H Workshop  
CIF request for renewal  
July Conservation Newsletter  
MACC Conference of Mass. Environ Agency Program  
J.P. Stevens Shareholders quarterly  
Bikeways  
Conservation Law Foundation - RE: Federal Water Policy  
Northeast Memo  
Letter from Selectmen: Re Flood Plain Meeting to be held Oct. 3,  
DEM: Re: State Waste Disposal  
Richard E. Kendall Wetlands restriction Act  
CRD RE: Services Available to cities from the coop exten serv.  
North Country Nursery - Bill for Sacn. from 40-8C. Amounts of \$7.99 and 9.95 will be reimbursed by Grange and Womes's Club.

Old Business

The tools which belong to the Conservation Comm. are now in Bills Possession  
Suggestion was made that we all stop and look at fence needs for Sanct.  
The erosion problem at the primary school was discussed. It was determined someone would talk to the school dept about the problem. We would be willing to seek a youth group to do the work if they provide the equipment.

New Business

Voted to renew CIF membership  
MACC Convention - discuss further at next meeting  
Mountain Day - It was voted to have Mountain Day on October 7 with an alternate day of Oct 14th. Bill to bring the lemonade. Colleen to make coffee. Ted will purchase donuts. The hike will be to Wolf Hill and Alder Meadow, to include Glacier Rock. Hazel and Colleen to do Pub.

Ted mentioned land to be taken for taxes in Wolcott Road area. A couple of wood lots.

Next meeting October 2, 1978

Meeting adjourned 8:40PM

*Colleen Crochetiere*

COLLEEN CROCHETIERE  
Rec. Sect.

SOUTHAMPTON CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
October 2, 1978

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The regular meeting of the Southampton Conservation Commission was called to order at 8:10PM following two wetland hearings. In attendance was Bill, Hazel, Ted, John, and Colleen.

The minutes of the last meeting were accepted as read and placed on file. The treasurer reported \$8,857.40 in 40-80 and \$361.00 in General Expense

Correspondence:

Thank you from Hamp. Reg. in regards to Nat'l Wildlife Mag.

Depts. of Food and Agriculture: Will send copy of rules and regs for Farm Act when available

File Nos. for Russellville Road and County Rd. N. hearings

Conservation Law Foundation Newsletter

Check from Womans Club for Sanctuary planting

Old Business:

MACC Conference - A motion was approved to send Colleen to the MACC Conference on Oct. 21. Fee of \$10.00 to be paid by the Comm.

Motion was made and seconded to purchase 50' of fencing and staples similiar to what is there to do the turnstyle in the sanct.

The erosion at the primary school is going to be taken care of by Mr. Garska by means of a pipe to the storm drain on the highway.

Final arrangements were made for Mt. Day.

Ted to keep a watch on land to be taken by the town for taxes.

John brought up concern about the ruts made at a fire hydrant BigxY used for water supply located in EHamp. It was determined it is EHamp. problem.

Colleen reported Laura is working on book. No definate date. Laura to provide bill for \$38.30 approved in July.

New Business

None

Next Meeting October 16, 1978 at 7:00PM  
Meeting adjourned 9:00PM

A request for determination was overlooked during the official meeting. On Thursday, October 5, Joe, Ted, Bill, and Colleen inspected a ground water fed pond at Mr. & Mrs. Arnold Young's on White Loaf Rd. It was determined that a hearing was not necessary for the work to be done. Details of the work are on file.

Respectfully submitted,

*Colleen Crochitue*

Southampton Conservation Commission  
October 16, 1978

The regular meeting of the commission was called to order at 7:10PM by Bill Brier, President, Also in attendance were Hazel Young, John Slabinski, Ted Hendrick, and Colleen Crochetiere

The Secretary and treasurers report were accepted as read.

CORRES:

Bill from Norm's for donuts  
CLF - request for donation for newsletter  
EPA - News booklet  
EPA - Water Conservation Conference October 24  
MF & PA - Conservation Legislative Bulletin - Review of 1978 legislation  
MACC - Newsletter  
Comm. on Natural Resources - Book List

OLD BUSINESS:

Fencing for Sanct: Bill to look into pricing and availability  
Mt. Day was a great success. About 40 people took part.  
Hazel mentioned Laura shouldn't be paid for book work as she worked on book during working time.  
Woodchips at Sanct. will stay there for winter  
Writing of Order of Conditions

NEW BUSINESS:

Voted to pay bills from Norms, and other Mt. Day Related expenses  
Dennis Vogel - Inquired whether neighbor could entirely clear area of trees (140' x 300') It was determined Hazel will talk with Ranger Hendry in regards to line trees. Area located on Foarmer Road.

Next meeting November 6, 1978.

Meeting adjourned at 9:20PM

*Colleen Crochetiere*

COLLEEN CROCHETIERE  
Recording Secretary

SOUTHAMPTON CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
November 6, 1978

The regular meeting of the Commission was held on November 6, 1978 in the Multi-Use Room of the Town Hall with Hazel, John, Ted, Colleen and Bill presiding.

The minutes were accepted as read. Hazel read a transcript of the hearing for Russellville Road and County Road held on October 23 as well as the Order of Conditions for County Road and denial letter for Russellville Road.

Treasurers report accepted as read

Copies:

Board of Selectmen; Layout hearing for Cook Road to be held Nov. 8.  
Frank Hatch Propaganda  
MACC - Facts about Question 7  
EPA Newsletter - Facts about coal stoves  
LPV - 208 Water quality News  
ERA - Environ news  
MF&PA- Membership request  
Rural Development Newsletter  
Final Plans for Big Y

Old Business

Bill reported on price for fencing	
Aubuchon - 50' 2"x4" 14 guage	\$22.00
Agway 50' 2"x4"	\$18.95
" " 12 1/2 "	\$25.00

It was voted and passed to purchase the 12 1/2 guage @ \$25.00

A local 4-H Club will periodically spread some of the woodchips at the Sanctuary

On Oct 24, Hazel had an on-site meeting with Big Y. Instead of having equal amounts of water running to two drains they are going to have a bevel in the rear of the store to direct the water to the two outlets. This layout will eliminate extensive use of the land by the package store/

Hazel reported receiving a call from Pat Pompeii of Foarmer Rd. In ref. to tree cutting. Ranger Handry advised that they could fight the tree cutting in land court, but it would be more trouble than worth. Ted reported an observation of the site appears no more cutting has taken place than necessary.

Plans were made to have Tom Bashista at our 11/20 meeting to report about the 4-H Conservation Workshop.

Colleen reported a very successful MACC Conference. Two workshops were attended with quite a few handouts received.

NEW BUSINESS

Earl Weingart was in to inquire about Farmland Perserv. Act. We should have more info in a few weeks

Ed Youmell was in to express gratitude for our work on Russellville Rd. and to inquire as to our jurisdiction.

Bill reported on Holyoke Transcript article about FPA.

Voted 3 for Kl opposed joining Mass. Forest & Parks

Hazel reported the penalty sign is down in the Sanctuary as well as the one on Paradise Road. Fed to put new signs up.

Next meeting November 20, 1978

Meeting adjourned 9:07PM

Colleen Crocheteire  
RECORDING SECRETARY

Southampton Conservation Commission  
November 20, 1978

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The regular meeting of the Southampton Conservation Comm. was held in the multi-use room of the town hall. In attendance were Joe, Hazel, Ted, Bill, John and Colleen.

The treasurers and secretarys report were accepted as read.

CORRES:

Northeast Memo (EPA): News from Washington. Bills passed  
OLF ; Newsletter  
Letter from Selectmen: Budget meeting  
Mass. Assoc. of Conserv. Districts: Annual Meeting  
Huntley Assoc: Re: Cty Road plans have been registered  
Water Resource Comm: Water Resource Management Regs.  
DEQE: Proposed changes to the Wetlands Act with a meeting on Nov. 29  
at the Holyoke Soliders Home. Public Hearing on Dec. 6  
EPA: Water and waste management  
Old Business:  
Tom Bashista to attend meeting in the future  
Cook Road hearing: Strictly layout proposal. No proposed work.  
Sanct. Signs are replaced  
More wood chips were spread in the sanct.  
Bill Has purchased fencing and Ted will pick it up when it comes in.  
Bill will again be in touch with LPVRPC in regards to assistance with  
Self-help.

New Business:

Request for Determination: Tod Corey presented a topo map and engineering plans. He stated a 24" culvert would be installed to accomodate water for a driveway on a piece of land he owns off Montgomery road with one or two drain tiles in an unusually wet area. Bruce Coombs, and abutter was also there to inquire as to what was being done in that area. It was moved and seconded that we allow Mr. Corey to proceed with the work as stated on plan. Hazel to send formal notice.

Joe to attend Wetland Act proposal hearing.

Colleen to check with Mr. Mazolini in regards to bird feed for <sup>this</sup> ~~the~~ year

Work was done on budget for hearing with Selectmen on Nov. 21 at 8:00PM

Next meeting December 4, 1978

Meeting adjourned. 9: 22PM

*Colleen Crochetiere*

COLLEEN CROCHETIERE  
Recording Secretary

December 6, 1978

The regular meeting of the conservation commission was held at 7:00PM in the multi-use room of the Town Hall with President Bill Breyer presiding. Also in attendance were Ted Hendrick, Joe Kingsley, John Slabinski, and Colleen Crochetiere, and Hazel Young.

The Sect. and Treasurers report were accepted as read

## CORRES:

ORD Newsletter

MACC Newsletter

Planning Board: Notice of public hearing on Tues Dec. 19, 1978 at 8:00PM in regards to Moosebrook Road

CRWC: Newsletter

Cooperative extension Service: Workshop on 12/12 in regards to applying for federal money

## Old Business:

Bill met with the selectmen in regards to the budget and they suggested:

1. Secretarial supplies be broken down into Sec. Exp and sec. supplies (Stationery, stamps etc)
2. Barbara Parker is a notary, so she can notarize things
3. Storage cabinet will be shown on the budget in a lump sum item under "capital expenses"
4. Selectmen feel they would need plans for a specific project before allocating more money to 40-80

Joe attended Wetlands hearing: Changes to include notice <sup>to</sup> ~~of~~ abbuters by applicant including those across streets. It was generally agreed to suggest applicant be responsible for the legal notice and the \$25 fee should be paid to the commission. Hazel will write to DEQE and Macc. Another notable change is the change to certified mail.

Fencing came in. Ted has the fence and Bill has the staples. They will get together to install.

A motion was made and seconded to pay Bill for Fencing

A motion was made and agreed upon to buy bird feed for Leo Mazzolini at the WEN

## NEW BUSINESS

Messrs Shaun Hayes and Tom Cooney were at our meeting from LPVRPC to assist us in our effort to draw up an acceptable Conservation plan

They gave us a great deal of input as to how we can begin. They felt we should start with by polling residents to find out what they would like to see in town. Also to ~~int~~talk with other Boards and organizations to find out their plans and ideas. There are many sources of information to include IPVRPC, State OR Plan LPV OR Plan. They also suggested we keep a chronological listing ~~of~~ of the people we meet with and the things we discuss. They feel we should set the tone of the plan as a sales pitch (ie: service to No. of people, or physical areas, developmental pressure etc.)

We agreed to work on the plan at each meeting and to have LPV review each section.

Next meeting Dec. 18, 1978 at 7:00PM

Meeting adjourned 9:20PM

*Colleen Crochetiere*

RECORDING SECRETARY

The regular meeting of the commission was held in the multi-use room of the Town Hall. In attendance were Bill, Ted, Hazel, and Colleen

The meeting was called to order at 8:00PM by Chairman Bill Breyer

The minutes and treasurers report were accepted as read

CORRES:

Community Resource Development: Final Draft of Regs for Chapt 780  
Conservation Law Foundation Newsletter  
EPA Newsletter: New Regs in regard to pond vegetation control. Funding available to reduce growth interfering with recreational use  
EPA Bulletin: ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~  
Cooperative Extension service: Regional Wetlands Newsletter  
Finance Committee

OLD BUSINESS:

Wetlands Reg. Revision Hearing: Joe attended a follow-up meeting. Hazel wrote to Division of Wetlands in regard to Joe's questions. He reported no significant changes. Homebuilders Assoc worried about building in 100' of Flood Plain. It was pointed out there are HUD Regulations. All new regs to be in meters.

Finance Comm. Letter: Approved budget for Gen Exp. of \$585.00. In our meeting with them they stated they would like to see specific plans before future allocations to 40-80

NEW BUSINESS:

Voted not to join National Forest and Parks  
Voted not to join Environmental Law Institute

We began work on outdoor <sup>self help</sup> Project. Survey previously taken in 5 years old. We reviewed the questions in regards to conservation and outdoor needs. A general guideline was established to end meetings at 9:00PM. Hazel to do background work, and Bill to get nos. needed for a cross section survey.

Colleen to write article for Town Report due in March.

Next meeting Jan 16, 1979

Meeting adjourned 8:20PM.

*Colleen Crochetiere*  
COLLEEN CROCHETIERE  
Recording Secretary

In attendance at the regular meeting of the Commission held in the Multi-Use room of the Town Hall were Bill Breyer, Ted Hendrick, John Slabinski, Hazel Young, and Colleen Crochetiere; *Joe Kingsley*

The meeting was called to order at 7:00PM. The minutes and treasurers report was accepted as read.

Corres:

Conservation Foundation Newsletter: Re-erosion  
Coop Extension Serve. Notice of APA meetings at Smith Voc.  
LPVRPC: Regional Report  
DEQE: Proposed regs for Wetlands Protection Act  
DEQE: Copy of notice to Huntley requiring permit from us re: Russellville rd  
EPA Bulletin: Waste disposal  
Sudbury Nurseries: Price list  
HWDL Flood Plain  
C of M, Division of Water Resources: Maps about water areas in the Lower Valley  
LPVRPC: Information for self help  
Dept. of F & A: Final draft for apa and questions and answers  
Bills:  
Conservation Letter  
Community Feed  
Conn. River Watershed Council - membership

Old Business:

Hazel reviewed the old questionnaire in regards to self help project, and found the following groups of questions pertinent to our project.

All open space questions

Select questions from the residential growth policy

" " " Town services

It is Hazels feeling a cover letter explaining the reason for the survey to include what we now own and what we are planning to do with it. Hazel to write draft of letter.

New Business:

Ms. Marylyn Cheda from the extension service was in to review the agri preserv. act with us and to answer questions or bring questions to regional meeting to be held Jan 22. She will write memo about the meeting with answers to our questions.

Mr. & Mrs Colby from Brickyard Rd. were in to see if we would buy feed and grit for a wild turkey in the Sanctuary. They will check with local bird assoc to determine kind of feed and appropriate feeder. It was determined we would pay for food, and bill can provide grit, however the feeder and would have to be put inside the sanct. grounds. The feed should not exceed \$10.00

We received an inquiry as to our jurisdiction over possible building in an area with high ground water. The area is on Wolcott Rd. It was determined the proper vegetation is not present, however, we would check in the spring for moss. As far as notification of building in a wetland, we rely on word of mouth.

Next Meeting February 5, 1979

Meeting adjourned 9:22PM

*Colleen Crochetiere*

In attendance were Hazel Young, Ted Hendrick, Bill Breyer, Chairman, John Slabinski, Joe Kingsley, and Colleen Crochetiere

The secretary's report was corrected to include Joe Kingsley in attendance at meeting

Treasurer's report accepted as read

CORRES:

Planning Board: Notice of new street to be Cheryl Lane  
Coop Ext. Serv: Notice about 4-H workshops  
Mass Forest & Parks: Legislative Conference at UMASS  
Westfield River Watershed Assoc: Greenbelt Info  
Dept of Food & Agri: Forms and regs for Agri Preserv. Act.  
Holyoke Community College: Course info on Environ Awareness for local officials  
EPA Bulletin  
CRD: Growth Policy Committee summary of activities.

OLD BUSINESS

Marylyn Cheda called Bill there is a movie on Agri Preserv. Hazel expressed interest for Grange.

Ted has not heard from Colby about turkey  
Corrections were made to information for Town Report

Work continued on questionnaire  
Colleen to check on postage for questionnaire  
Ted to plot "owned" areas on map  
Bill to see selectmen and planning board about questionnaire

NEW BUSINESS

Coop Extension service workshops: voted to pass on first semester  
No one will be attending Legislative Conference on Feb. 10.  
HCC Course: No interest  
Mass Advocate Newsletter: No interest

Next Meeting February 19, 1979

Meeting adjourned 8:40PM

*Colleen Crochetiere*  
COLLEEN CROCHETIERE  
Recording Secretary

SOUTHAMPTON CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
February 19, 1979.

In attendance were Hazely Young, Ted Hendrick, Joe Kingsley, Bill Breyer, Chairman, John Slabinski, and Colleen Crochetiere

Secretary and Treasurers report accepted as read

CORRES:

Hampshire Conservation District: List of Services

USDA: Use of soil maps

LPVRPC: Annual Report

EPA: Environ. Newsletter

J.P. Stevens: Announcement of quarterly Dividend payable to the shareholders in January or Feb.

Codmen Community Farms Spring Conference: Information Seminar about starting community farms

MACC Newsletter

Valley Newsletter

Mass Forest and Parks: Newsletter

Questionnaire to adl Greenfield Community College in setting up courses for local officials

W. Breyer: Information for hearing

Almer Huntley Engineering: Request for determination on sidewalk along Rte. 10

Phone Corres:

Ron White: KAB Day

Bob Madsen: Huntley-Wayne Development

Board Of Health: Future of Landfill Dump

NEW BUSINESS:

After a motion and discussion it was voted that Bill Breyer should pay the \$25.00 fee for hearing. He will send check to Colleen

Although no hearing will be necessary for sidewalk work, it was voted to draw up order of conditions to prevent siltation of brook during construction.

sponsered

KAB Day: To be ~~expressed~~ sponsored by Lions Club last Saturday of April. Hazel to notify Ron White that we will contribute to purchase of trash bags after all other sources expended, up to \$20.00. Colleen and Ted to donate spare trash bags.

QUESTIONNAIRE WORK

Colleen reported 200 questionnaires would have to be mailed to qualify for bulk rate.

Ted plotted owned areas

Bill met with selectmen:

They are concerned about the validity of a sampling rather than sending one to everyone.

PLANNING BOARD: May send someone to a meeting

Board of Health: May have suggestions

Lorraine Thomas: We have a street list and the taxpayers list.

Colleen to call Lorraine in reference to street list. Find out company

Meeting of February 19, 1979

name and price of 40%-50% sampling.

Bill to talk to graphic arts where he works

Hazel reported Tom Bashista interested in Spring workshop. 4-H group to explore various sources for partial payment of enrollment fee.

Next meeting March 5, 1979

Meeting adjourned 8:55PM

*Colleen Crochetiere*  
COLLEEN CROCHETIERE  
Recording Secretary

Southampton Conservation Commission  
March 5, 1979

The regular meeting of the Commission was held in the Multi-Use Room of the Town hall at 7:15PM with Bill Breyer, Chairman presiding. Also in attendance were Joe Kingsley, Ted Hendrick, Hazel Young, and

Assuming job of secretary and treasurer, Hazel read minutes and treasurer's report, both being accepted as read.

Correspondence:

Weingart submitted AFA Forms

Letter from EOE: Informing us of receipt of Weingart forms to re-submit by April 30, 1979

Lyons-Skwart Assoc: Re water studies

DEQE: Project No. for Breyers 289-29

Polution Equipment news: Freebie

U of Mass: Seminars on Management

MF&PA: Re Bottle Bill

Phone Corres: Bernard James, Secretary sent letter

OLD BUSINESS:

Bud Hantley and John Garska came in to talk about Russellville Road. We will do on site as soon as possible

Hazel Contacted Ron White again:

Ted let us know about a hearing on Huntley-Wayne project as well as shade tree hearing for same project

Breyer hearing rescheduled

Motion made and approved to pay Bill for mimeograph paper

Motion to table until March 19 matter of Weingart Agri. request

Survey-questionnaire: Bill to pursue computer matter of to whom to send and sticker labels

Ted to investigate stamping machine

Joe offered to design computer card if necessary.

Hope to be ready to roll by March 19, 1979

Motion made and approved not to spend more than \$50.00 on computer work.

Next meeting March 19, 1979

Meeting adjourned 8:45PM

*Hazel A. Young*

HAZEL A. YOUNG  
Secretary Pro-tem

Southampton Conservation Commission  
March 19, 1979

The regular meeting of the commission was called to order at 7:30PM with Ted Joe, Bill Breyer, John Slabinski, and Colleen Crochetiere, and Hazel Young in attendance

The treasurers and secretaries report were accepted as read

CORRES:

New England Environ. Conference: April 21-22

Coop Exten Serv. Info on Mosquito Control

IPVREC: March 22, 7:30PM W. Springfield Town Hall meet new DEQE head (?)  
Joe will attend

Extension Service Conservation School, Ashland: July 10-19 Advanced Course, April 16-19 Beginners course

Hazel will check with Sue Plourde, tabled till 4-2.

Bill received a call from Marilyn Cheda in reference to Agri Preserv. to explain misinformation in paper in regards to tax.

Call from Joe Acus: We would not move until we talk to him.

Update on APA: 50 apps received on initial money. March 1 not cutoff date for entire program, just initial funding

EPA Bulletin: Unleaded gas; effects on cars designed for unleaded when leaded is used

Jerry Howell: Student looking for summer work

IHS: Computer can not discriminate in picking out names to print stickers.

OLD BUSINESS

Bill met with selectmen and planning board

It was determined the forms for the ABA would be distributed to us, the planning board, then selectmen.

Weingart Farm Visit: He wants to apply for 50 acres in the APA. Ted doesn't see any wetland problems. This matter tabled until next meeting by unanimous vote. Ted or Bill to notify him

About 500 questionnaires to be sent. A motion was made then withdrawn to pay IHS for stickers.

Colleen to contact Cartledges to have rubber stamp made to read "Fold and return to, Southampton Conservation Commission"

Motion was made and approved to pay Hazel \$50 to hand-address and hand stamp the to and from on the questionnaires, The motion was approved.

Another motion was made that we pay the town treasurer for \$150 worth of postage to be put on the questionnaires via the postage meter. Colleen to check in to using the meter. Motion was approved.

NEW BUSINESS

Bill to do pre-planning for an information nite on the APA around the first meeting in may.

Next meeting April 2, 1979

Meeting adjourned at 9:05Pm

*Colleen Crochetiere*  
COLLEEN CROCHETIERE  
Recording Secretary

The regular meeting was called to order by Bill Breyer, Chairman. Also present were Hazel Young, Ted Hendrick, Joe Kingsley, and Colleen Crochetiere.

The minutes and treasurers reports were accepted as read

#### Corres

CLF: Annual meeting to be held April 11

LPVRPC: Notice they are setting up answering service

Water Conservation Project: Newsletter

EPA Newsletter: Massachusetts proposes three sites for dumping chemical waste

EPA: Research Conference in June in D.C.

Dept of F&A: Agricultural Preserv. Act applications still being accepted

Pascoes: Receipt of app application. We are to respond by May 15

Big Y: Environmental Impact statement

Mr. Mitchell: Reference purchase of Farr land

#### Old Business

*Oran*

Tony Cortis appointed new head of DEQE. LPV pleased. Discusses auto insp/.

It was determined we would pay \$70 to send kids to co-op exten. workshops. this amount will be offered for each session. However, Tom Bashista will be sent to the session in July free of charge. This motion was voted on and approved.

A tentative date of the first meeting in May was set for APA nite.

#### New Business

Dennis Nolan has received forms for Notice of Intent, on land off High str. Conserv. Comm. members to visit land on Apr. 5.

Bill to complete postage work on Tues, Apr 3, on questionnaires

Farr land is landlocked and of no apparent value to us.

Colleen to obtain copies of zoning info in regard to Weingart and Pascoe apps. Hazel to complete forms. Bill to meet with planning board, and selectmen in regards to these applications.

Next meeting April 15, 1979

Meeting adjourned 9:35PM

*Colleen Crochetiere*

COLLEEN CROCHETIERE  
Recording Secretary

The regular meeting of the commission was called to order by John Slabinski, vice-chairperson. Also in attendance were Hazel Young, Ted Hendrick, and Colleen Crochetiere

The sect. and treasurers report were accepted as read

CORRES:

Conn. River Watershed Council: Annual meeting, May 4th  
CRD Newsletter  
Farm-City Day: Announcement  
Mass. Recycling Conf. May 10 in Newton  
Bureau of Natural Affairs: Purchase environ Newsletter  
CIF: Newsletter ref Applachian Trail  
Daily Hampshire Gazette: Bill legal notices

Old Business:

It was determined that another date will be set up to view Nolan property after receipt of forms.

No one will be attending April Co-op workshop

Bill has not heard from Maryln Cheda

The Pascoe and Weingart Apps are in the works

On questionnaire:

We have received about 50 returns from all sections of town and from people who have lived in town from 2 to 80 years.  
Colleen to put reminder to have questionnaires returned in the paper shortly

New Business:

None

Next meeting May 7, 1979

Meeting adjourned 8:00PM

*Colleen Crochetiere*  
COLLEEN CROCHETIERE  
Recording Secretary

In attendance at the regular meeting of the Commission held in the Multi-Use Room were Joe Kingsley, Ted Hendrick, Bill Breyer, Chairman, John Slabinski, Hazel Young, and Colleen Crochetiere

The secretary and treasurers report were accepted as read

CORRES:

MACC Newsletter  
National Wildlife Renewal - WE Norris  
Community Deve. Newsletter  
Conn. River Watershed Conference  
EPA: Conference in DC in June  
CLF: Renewal  
LBY Newsletter: Misc. news items to include article on PVT  
CETA : Info in regard to summer employment

OLD BUSINESS

Hazel reported on tallies of info received from 60 returns of questionaire. Colleen to notify DHG about returning questionaires. Bill to look into getting report typed up

Colleen to look into Weingart & Pascoe applications.

Meeting set for June 4 with Marilyn Cheda in regard to ABA. Invite to be extended via Gazette

NEW BUSINESS:

A motion was adopted to renew National Wildlife for W. E. Norris as well as pay Daily Hampshire Gazette \$12.50 for legal ads. We also renewed CLF membership for \$30.00.  
Statement submitted by Hazel Young for \$108.47 to include typewriter ribbon, postage, and secretarial services also was approved.

There was general discussion around how we could use supervised CETA workers. Colleen to write letter in regard to the EP Training program.

Colleen will be visiting Miss Szafirs 5th grade on May 11. to discuss conservation commission work.

Next meeting May 21.

Meeting adjourned 9:00PM

*Colleen Crochetiere*  
COLLEEN CROCHETIERE  
Recording Secretary

SOUTHAMPTON CONSERVATION COMM.  
June 18<sup>th</sup> 1979

In attendance at the regular meeting of the commission held in the multi-use room of the Town Hall were Hazel young, Chairman, Bill Breyer, John Slabinski, Joe Kingsley, and Colleen Crochetiere.

The report of the secretary and the treasurer were accepted as read

CORRESPONDENCE

- Information on Russellville Road from Lower PVRPC
- IPVRPC: Review of apps submitted for APA to include Weingart
- Lincoln Filene Center for Public Affairs - Workshops
- National Wildlife F Confirmation for WEN
- Mass. Steering Comm. On the Conn. River: Meeting June 22
- DPW Northampton: Environ, Notification Form for Rec. 10
- MACC Newsletter
- CLF: Notice of increase in dues to \$50
- Quarterly report from J. P. Stevens
- LPV Water quality report
- Noise level report: RE Barnes

OLD BUSINESS

General discussion in regard to APA film. Colleen to send copy of review by IPV to Weingart

A motion was made and approved to pay Rick Brown \$6.00 for installing fencing.

Bill left information on Russellville Road at LPV. They will extract information and give us pertinent questions for hearing.

Colleen to contact Frank Conant in regard to reinvestment of acct.

NEW BUSINESS

Commission will send additional \$20.00 to CLF.

A motion was made and seconded to meet only once in July and August. The first Monday of the month. Colleen to notify B. Parker.

Hazel to notify Selectmen of Ted Hendrick not rejoining Comm.

Hazel to inform them of the change of quorum to 3. Same change in signatures on warrant request.

Colleen to look into three marker plaques for Sanct.

Hazel to look into purchase of fertilizer for plantings in Sanct.

Next meeting July 2, 1979

Meeting adjourned 8:15PM

*Colleen Crochetiere*  
COLLEEN CROCHETIERE  
Secretary

## SOUTHAMPTON CONSERVATION COMMISSION

July 1, 1979

In attendance at the regular meeting of the commission were Hazel Young, chairman, Bill Breyer, Joe Kingsley, and Colleen Crochetiere

The treasurers and secretary's reports were accepted as read

## CORRES:

LPVRPC: Info on Russellville road

D. Nolan: Request for Determination

EPA Federal register

Dept of the Environ: Newsletter in reference to meetings for small hydro plants

LPVRPC: Review on Pascoe Agri Preserv Act.

## OLD BUSINESS

Hazel notified selectmen on Ted Hendricks resignation

Cost for fertilizer was \$1.36

Cost of highlight plaques was \$3.00

Colleen reported Mr. Couat said we cannot reinvest account's money unless it is to buy a term certificate through a bank

## New Business

Ruth Berniers Girl Scout troupe is going to finish putting woodchips in the sanctuary

A motion was made and seconded to pay Hazel \$30 to be used for labor in connection with questionnaire tabulation

Discussion was held around Ted's schroll. Decided to have Bill purchase it with the cost to be split among the members.

We are to contact LPV When we hear more on Russellville Rd., and they will check out the site with us.

Colleen to forward review of Pascoe property in regard to the APA to the Pascoe's,

Meeting adjourned 8:00PM

Next meeting August 6, 1979

*Colleen Crochetiere*

COLLEEN CROCHETIERE  
Secretary

SOUTHAMPTON CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
AUGUST 20, 1979

In attendance at the regular meeting of the commission were Hazel Young, chairman, John Siabinski, Bill Breyer, and Colleen Crochetiere

Secretary and treasurers report accepted as read

CORRES:

- Mass. Forest & Park Assoc: Legislative Bulletin
- CIF - Thank you for ap paying membership
- MAOC - Bulletin
- EPA - Bulletin

OLD BUSINESS

BIG Y needs to apply for continuence. Hazel to contact DEQE on Big Y and ask their assistance

EPA looking to turn over more duties to commissions. Hazel to talk to selectmen about new members and ~~xxx~~ full time, possibly CETA conservation person.

Hazel reported on presentation of schroll to Ted.

Hazel is continuing to work on questionnaire, and received approval for presentation to Grange on our work.

Ideas about book trail were discussed. It was determined that a 3/4 job had been completed in the sanct. and the book was really necessary.

NEW BUSINESS

A motion was passed that the Commission be the notifying agency to let abutters know time and date of hearing. In the event of a hearing involving a large number of abutters, the secretary will request additional newspaper coverage.

Next meeting September 10, 1979

Meeting adjourned 8:15PM

*Colleen Crochetiere*  
COLLEEN CROCHETIERE  
Secretary

SOUTHAMPTON CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
August 6, 1979

In attendance at the regular meeting of the commission were Hazel Young chairperson, Bill Breyer and Joe Kingsley. The treasurers and secretary reports were accepted as read.  
Correspondence:

County extension: Farm tour on Aug 16

Ct river water basin: High water conference to be held

Extension service: June newsletter, starting of wetlands protection act, July newsletter-what is needed for wetlands hearing

MACC July newsletter

IFVRPC: Growth map, folder and future projections, Notice of reconstructing curve on Rte 10

Mass forest and parks: letter on bottle bill, number of endangered animals in Mass continues to rise

American Society for testing and materials: announcement of new publication

EPA: June-cleaning the air, July newsletter

Huntley: Request for hearing on Russellville rd

Nat Wildlife Fed: renewal for Hampshire regional

OLD BUSINESS:

Bill showed members present the scroll to be presented to Ted Hendricks for his many years of service to the commission. Scroll to be paid by members cost \$21.54. It was presented to Ted at end of meeting at Ted's home

Hazel still working on survey tabulations, some still arriving, when completed 10 copies will be made

Colleen sent review to Fascoe

NEW BUSINESS:

A motion was made and seconded to renew subscription to MWF for the Hampshire regional in amount of \$8.50

Hearing on Russellville Rd to be held on Aug 20, 1979,

IFVRPC to be notified, Hazel to take care of legal notice

Meeting adjourned to Ted's house at 8:20

Next Meeting Aug 20, 1979

*Joseph Kingsley*  
JOSEPH KINGSLEY

Secretary Protem

SOUTHAMPTON CONSERVATION COMM.  
September 10, 1979

In attendance at the regular meeting of the commission held in the multi-use room were Hazel Young, Bill Breyer, Colleen Crochetiere, and John Slabinski, and Joe Kingsley

The treasurers and secretarys reports were accepted as read.

CORRES:

- EPA NEWS BULLETIN
- CRD
- Conn. River Watershed Council
- MF&PA - Bulletin
- Registry of Deeds - Oernak
- DAILY Hampshire Gazette - Bill
- MACC Bulletin
- Berkshire Forest Products - Request for determination

OLD BUSINESS

Book Trail - Hazel has started marking trail

It is our responsibility to notify all abutters by mail

Hazel to receive job description for permanent CETA worker in regards to her request to the selectmen

We have received one application for a commission member

Big Y doesn't need a continuance as work can be completed anytime, but must start within a year after issue

Hazel distributed copies of survey results. We should read and comment

Moosebrook - Hazel & Bill gave approval  
Gunn Road - Washing out by beavers as constitutes emergency there fore by passing request for determination before work starts

NEW BUSINESS

Mountain Day - Colleen to get in touch with Ted Wandrick in relation to location. Date set as Oct. 6 rainday Oct. 13.  
Joe - Donuts, Bill - Lemonade, Colleen - Posters and Publicity  
Hazel - Coffee

Colleen to contact registry in regard to returned Order of Condit.

Next meeting October 1, 1979

Meeting adjourned 8:55PM

COLLEEN CROCHETIERE  
Secretary

SOUTHAMPTON CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
October 1, 1979

In Attendance at the regular meeting of the commission were Hazel Young, Bill Breyer, and Colleen Crochetiere

The Secretarys report was accepted as read  
Treas. reported No change in 40-8C, there is a balance of \$585.00 with the most recent charge of \$8.50 in General Expense.

## CORRES:

MACC-Bill

DEQE - Notice of rivers to be studied funding from EPA. Manhan not included

EPA - Conference October 22 and Oct. 23 in Boston

Mass Forest and Parks Newsletter and Bulletin

Statement from J. P. Stevens that they are paying .30 on a dollar Order of conditions for Russellville Road has been recorded

CRD Bulletin

DEQE Notice of meeting October 18 to discuss changes in Wetland Protection Act

## OLD BUSINESS

Mt. Day - Colleen to call Nancy Soplop to have article put in on Friday

## NEW BUSINESS

In attendance at the meeting were Bill Murray, Gary Swanson, and Charles D'Amour with a request for an extension on Wetland Permit No. 298-22 - Big <sup>1/2</sup>

It was determined that all that was necessary was for us to grant an extension which will expire May 2, 1980. A motion was made, seconded, and unanimously approved.

In regard to trees, we have no control over trees. While we can recommend certain areas for scenic roads, we have no jurisdiction over trees coming down.

A motion was made and seconded to renew membership in MACC for another year in the sum of \$40.00

Hazel requested and received permission to put rock salt on some poison ivy in the sanct.

A motion was made and seconded to have thax an overlook developed along the sanct. trail for the sum of \$25.00. The site to be chosen by Hazel. This money to come from 40-8C

Hazel is going to the W. E. Morris Schools on Oct. 15 to talk about winter birds and bird feeders. Colleen received a request from the Morris school for maps. Hazel suggested we contact the planning board and assessors

Next meeting October 15

Meeting adjourned at 8:50PM

*Colleen Crochetiere*  
COLLEEN CROCHETIERE  
Recording Secretary

SOUTHAMPTON CONSERVATION SOMM.  
October 15, 1979

In attendance at the regular meeting of th Commission were Hazel young, Chairman, Joe Kingsley, Bill Breyer, Colleen Crochetiere, and John Slabinski.

The Secretary and treasurers reports were accepted as read. Treas. to look into discrepancy in Conant Acct.

CORRES

MACC Handbook

DEBE: Re Russellville Rd. Copy of letter to Mr. Acus's Lawyer informing him request for appeal was denied ~~because~~ because it was too late.

Mass Forest and Parks - Treasurers report

Environ. Engr. Program - Questionnaire

Mass. Advocate - Newsletter including article on changes in WPA

CRD Bulletin

Coop Ext. Serv. Meeting on Water quality

Northeast Memo

Environ News Bulletin

Mass Newsletter

OLD BUSINESS

Hazel to recommend Larry Osborn as new member

Hazel has rocksalted poison ivy

Rick Brown has cut overlook already put in 7 hours. He would like permission to sell wood he cuts. Permission granted

Hazel reported on her visit to the entire 5th grade which was most enjoyable.

Job description for CETA worker to be the same as received from LPVRPC with the exception of 1. Requiring 30 hrs a week and 2.

No filing and typing necessary

NEW BUSINESS

Bills for Mt. Day which were approved

Joe - \$10.65 Donuts

Coffee donated by Am. Bosch

Bill - \$2.32 lemonade

North Country Nurseries \$13.99 for bird feed for the school as per Hazel

Pat Pompeii - Whog's back yard covered with 2" fine silty sand. This is due to poor landscaping by Mr. Tautznik for Mrs. Hartman. Hazel suggested Mrs. Hartman reslope and reseed covering with nesting.

Hazel presented summary on trail. Colleen to look up donated plantings and when multi-floral roses were donated/

Hazel received 2 wood duck boxes to be put on Cook road and be noted they were built by Edward Huntley.

Pay Richard Brown \$25.00

Next meeting November 5, 1979

Meeting adjourned 8:35PM

*Colleen Crochetiere*  
COLLEEN CROCHETIERE  
Secretary

November 5, 1979

In attendance at the regular meeting of the commission held in the multi-use room of the Town Hall at 7:45PM were Joe Kingsley, Bill Breyer, Hazel Young, Chairman, Jack Ernst, Larry Osborne, Colleen Crochetiere, and John Slabinski

## CORRES

Hampshire Reg. H. S. Thankyou for Natl Wildlife subscriptu  
Board of Water Commissioners, City of Holyoke, Notification of  
water level to be lowered to repair Tighe-Carmody Dam  
Information in regard to the Circuit Rider Program  
CLF \* Request for donation  
Oral Corres - Bill recieved a call from Rose Ann Drury - in regard  
to self help funds.  
Mass. F & P - Request for membership  
Coop Exten Serv - CRD - regard to stream and Lake cleanup  
Water Resource Commission - Mass. field guide to Inland Wetland  
Plants  
EPA - Environ Newsletter - Brochure on oil burners. Bill Requested  
Friends of the Blue Hills - Reqst form membership  
Conservation Foundation  
EPA Bulletin - Outline of lands owned by Conn. River Watershed  
Town of Southampton - Citizen Avsry Comm. for Housing for Elderly  
Letter from Finance Committee in regard to budget

## OLD BUSINESS

Name of Booklet to be "To the Meadows" Womens Club to type and provide art work necessary  
Job description has been accepted by the selectmen and they are taking it up with the Hampshire County Commissioners

## NEW BUSINESS

Council on Aging - Colleen and Hazel to share duties  
Joe reported on possible slash on the corner of Pleasant and East Street.

Colleen to review last years budget for next meeting. Commission to meet with selectmen on Tuesday, 11/20, Budget info to be to N. Lane on 12/4, commission to meet with Finance Comm. on 12/21/79

Next meeting November 19, 1979

Meeting adjourned 9:00PM

*Colleen Crochetiere*

COLLEEN CROCHETIERE  
Recording Secretary

SOUTHAMPTON CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
November 19, 1979

In attendance at the regular meeting of the commission were Hazel Young, Chairman, Bill Breyer, Colleen Crochetiere, Larry Osborn, and John Slabinski

After an Inland Wetland Hearing, the meeting proceeded as follows  
The Secretary's and Treasurer's Reports were accepted as presented

CORRESPONDENCE

EPA Bulletin - Emissions Warranty  
DEQE - File No. for Water Commission /Big Y Project  
Hampshire County Commissioners - Notice of request recd for CEIA Worker

OLD BUSINESS

We will wait to see what happens before taking action on slash on Corner of East & Pleasant Sts.  
Women's Club will not type booklets. Colleen to recruit someone to do Art work.

Colleen and Hazel to attend meeting with Selectmen on 11/20 in reference to Budget.

There are 5 trees that Rick cut down in the Sanct. If no one on the Commission can use them, we will let the public know that they are there. John maybe able to use them.

Hazel had a report of land being filled on the corner of Rte 10 and Former Rd. Hazel and Larry to investigate and photograph on Sunday, 11/25.

Next meeting December 3, 1979

Meeting adjourned 8:40PM

*Colleen Crochetiere*  
COLLEEN CROCHETIERE  
Secretary

SOUTHAMPTON CONSERVATION COMM  
December 3, 1979

In attendance at the regular meeting of the commission held in the multi-use room of the Town Hall were Hazel Young, Jack Ernst, Colleen Crochetiere, Larry Osborn Bill Breyer, and John Slabinski

The sect. and treasurers reports were accepted as read

CORRESPONDENCE

Addendum for plans and specs on Big Y water project to include order of conditions

U. S. Govt Publications Bulletin: General mailing

OLD BUSINESS

Bill received info requested on oil burners, and found it unimpressive Hazel informed us we could call the Extension Service for oil burner checks

Budget meeting: The selectmen were pleased with the proposed budget. They feel we should discuss replenishment of 40-90 with the Finance Committee as it would be a separate article.

As many members as can make it will view filling site on the corner of Fomer Rd. and College Highway on Sat. Dec. 6 at 11:00AM.

New Business

a student in Management Services came to speak about a project being undertaken by the Fish and Wildlife Service to inventory all wetlands in the state. He is interested in finding out what kind of maps and information we have. After his work is done, he will ask a series of questions and make a presentation. Hopefully this would eliminate a problem of communications between Commissions on wetland areas. It was decided to give Mr. Swartwoul our approval to view the towns wetlands.

Meeting adjourned 8:05PM

Next meeting December 17, 1979.

*Colleen Crochetiere*

COLLEEN CROCHETIERE