Town of Randolph

Planning Board Minutes June 4, 2017

Members Present: Roberta Arbree, Bob Ross, Arlene Eisenburg and John Scarinza

Call to order: The meeting was called to order at 7:04 by Chairman Scarinza

Minutes of May 4, 2017 - The minutes were passed over until the next meeting.

Chairman Scarinza brought the board up to speed on a meeting the Forest Commission had with Granite State Back Country Alliance (Cross Country Skiers) with Doug Mayer and Dave Salisbury regarding an area in the Town Forest in the Carlton Brook area behind Lookout Ledge. The area is about 70 acres where they would like to clear some of the smaller brush to allow for an area to do glade skiing. The Forest Commission asked the Town Forester to look at the proposed site and he agreed that it would be a good location as there was a cut done in that area a few years ago. The Forest Commission would like to create an Activity Manager for back country/cross country skiing. Dave Wilcox put together an agreement for an Activity Manager for that purpose. This would need to be approved by the planning board at a public hearing. The board agreed to post it as a public hearing at the July meeting.

Old Business: As the aquifer and hydric soils maps from Elise Lawson were ready, the board reviewed the maps. As the County Planning Board is in the process of developing regulations for what is allowed in their aquifers, John will bring the proposed regulation to the board for them to review to see if the Town of Randolph wants to develop similar regulation.

Adjournment: The board adjourned at 7:58 by mutual consensus.

Respectfully submitted,

Michelle M. Lutz

June 8, 2017