

**Deering Conservation Commission
762 Deering Center Road
Deering, New Hampshire 03244**

Minutes for 11 Feb 2019 Meeting

Attendance. Gary Samuels, Jackie Sawyer, Dennis Sawyer, Tim Finn, Kay Hartnett

Also present: Glenn Clark, Al Maddox

Call to order. The meeting was called to order at 6:30 by Gary Samuels

Minutes. The minutes of the meeting of 14 Jan were accepted.

Correspondence. No correspondence was received.

Old Business.

Duck boxes. A complete result of this year's wood duck box monitoring will be presented at the March meeting. All but two wood duck boxes were used. Boxes in the airport marsh and Cobbett marsh were relocated and serviced. Boxes at Homestead Marsh were not relocated.

Conservation camp. Jon Stuart communicated with Hillsborough/Deering school in an effort to recruit children to apply for up to 5 grants in support of attendance at the UNH Barry 4-H Conservation camp in summer 2019. The school will help to recruit candidates for the 2019 camperships.

New Business.

Town owned properties. The Society for Protection of NH Forests is interested in acquiring two town-owned parcels in Deering: Hedgehog Mt Rd (map 190, lot 15, 1 ac) and Old County Rd. (map 241, lot 17, 10 ac) if town donates them to SPNHF. Society will meet all costs of the first and most of the costs of the second. Donation will require approval of town meeting and it is too late to have this included in the 2019 meeting but will be included in the 2020 meeting.

Election display. Con comm will prepare a display of wood duck program for election day.

The meeting was adjourned by chairperson Samuels at 7:20.

The next meeting will be held on 10 March.

Respectfully submitted

Gary Samuels, chair and secretary
Deering Conservation Commission