

CRJC Headwaters Subcommittee

Minutes

Thursday, April 27, 2023 - 7:00PM

In Person Meeting – Town Hall, Colebrook, NH

Attendees

Pittsburg			Northumberland	Edwin Mellett	P
Pittsburg			Northumberland	Dale Covey	P
Colebrook	Kevin McKinnon	P	Bloomfield		
Colebrook			Bloomfield		
Stratford			Lemington		
Stratford	Jennifer Caron	X	Lemington		
Clarksville			Maidstone		
Clarksville			Maidstone		
Stewartstown			Canaan	Tom Caron	V
Stewartstown			Canaan		
Columbia	Kenneth Hastings	P	Brunswick		
Columbia			Brunswick		

Note: P = present in person; V = present over remote virtual platform; X = not present

In Person:

Virtual: Renee Theall (Staff, UVLSRPC), Tom Caron (partial)

Minutes

1. Welcome and Introductions

Dale Covey called the meeting to order at 715PM.

2. Meeting Minutes from December

Covey moves to accept the December minutes. McKinnon seconds. The motion passes unanimously.

3. Permit Reviews and Communications

- a. Residential, Pittsburg, NH. (#2023-00701, Due 4/21) – Okay, All Approved
- b. Wetlands, Route 3, Columbia, NH. (#2023-00959) – Okay, All Approved
- c. Update. Wild & Scenic designation for the Nulhegan River – Discussed the update, on hold for couple of weeks

4. Updates & Other Business

a. NH Municipal Boat Launch Investment Program (Due June 1) –

Discussion on the NH Municipal Boat Launch Investment Program, discussion surrounded on how the towns would apply for them and mentioned how the town Selectboard and Planning Board in each town would probably need to approve/review (send to them if they don't already receive). Then if they would like further information/thoughts they can contact local CRJC member if thinking of going forward. The application is due June 1st.

b. Town/Member updates

New Member updates: Jennifer Caron for Stratford, Discussion around recruiting some new members.

c. Water quality monitoring 2023 season

Water Quality monitoring – the members were wondering on results from last year.

d. LRS Survey summary and proposed actions

Hastings discussed the results of the survey, Jen Griffin & Ted Cooley went over the results with him. Results showed that there was some gap in knowledge of the LRS and the CRJC and what Commissioners do. There was further discussion around Commissioners going to other subcommittee meetings. The topic of fund levels & small grant opportunities came up and discussed briefly.

Hastings mentioned that he has one more Executive meeting with them, discussion around how NH only has 3 representatives and the need to have a Quorum, next representative maybe closer to Lebanon so quorum & can be able to attend.

5. Adjourn

Mellett makes a motion to adjourn. Covey seconds the motion. The motion passes unanimously.

Next Meeting

Tentative - July 27, 2023

Respectfully submitted by Renee Theall.