

North Haven Conservation Commission
Minutes – May 19, 2014
North Haven High School Library

Call to Order 7:30 pm by Chairman Hugh Davis

Present: H. Davis, M. Mahon, R. Sola . S. Stetson, A. Giordano, M. Johnson

Absent: D. Baker, S. Bonito

The next meeting will be held on Monday, June 23, 2014 at the Park & Rec Department.

The minutes of the April 28, 2014 meeting were approved as presented.

Prior to the meeting at 7:00 pm the Commission members took a tour of the High School for the purpose of having next years Earth Day event there. Anthony Giordano, teacher and head of the Project Green Students, along with Margaret Johnson, President of the Project Green Students showed us the space.

Announcements

The next meeting will be held on Monday, June 23, 2014 at the Park & Rec Department Conference Room.

Haze Waste: The North Haven dates are July 12th which will be covered by Ray and Sandy. The October 4th date will be covered by Mary and Hugh.

No new member has been selected to date.

Old Business

Earth Day: Will be held on April 11, 2015 at the North Haven High School, 10:00 am until 2:00 pm. It was decided that the event will be held in the foyer and adjoining hallways near the main entrance since the space is very large. In addition, the auditorium will be utilized for a short movie and perhaps video taped skits done by school students concerning environmental issues. Weather permitting the courtyard will be used also. The cafeteria and gym will not be needed. The commission would like to have two food vendors next year. We still have not totaled the expenses for Earth Day.

Public Forum: Tentative date is Wednesday, October 22, 2014 at the North Haven Library Community Room. Topic: Alternatives to pesticides in your yard/gardens. Three possible speakers: DEEP, Hugh going to check with Nancy DeBrulle at Nature Works to see what she suggests. Sandy going to check with the library to see if they have any kind of videos with an environmental theme.

Meeting adjourned at 8:25pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Sandy Stetson
Acting Secretary