

Lincoln Conservation Commission
Lincoln Town Hall
100 Old River Road
Lincoln, RI 02865

**MINUTES OF THE JANUARY 3, 2018 MEETING OF THE
CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

MEMBERS ATTENDING:

DANIEL FLYNN - CHAIR
OWEN HELEEN – CO-CHAIR
DORIS BRAIS
FRANCINE JACKSON

MEMBERS ABSENT

LESLIE B ALEXANDER-SECRETARY
ROBERT MCNALLY-TREASURER
CHRISTINA ISRAEL

I. CALL TO ORDER:

Dan Flynn called the January 3, 2018 meeting of the Conservation Commission to order at 7:16 PM.

II. APPROVE PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES:

No minutes to approve.

III. PUBLIC COMMENT: Gladys Lamontagne, from the Organic Community Garden attended to state that everything about the organic garden is as it was previously. There will be a meeting January 10th, but Dan does not believe he will be ready to present at the Town Council meeting January 16th. He will do so in February. As plots must be decided soon. Also, as this is a town function, it must be emphasized that everything done there must be done organically.

IV. CORRESPONDENCE: RI Environthon sent a letter looking for donations. Francine will check whether Lincoln High School is a part of this organization.

V. WETLAND APPLICATIONS: None.

VI. COMMISSION PROJECTS:

Butterfly Garden- No Report

Shady Brook- No Report.

Historical Cemeteries-Francine will ask John Houghton at the next BVHS meeting next Monday, as there has been no communication from Ken Postle.

Organic Garden- Dan will be making a presentation to the Town Council in February.

Lincoln 2020 – The commission is still not sure what its responsibility is. Owen will contact Joe Almond to ask for clarification. .

VII. OLD BUSINESS:

Francine will ask John Houghton about the spring house, as he, and others in the historical society, live within that neighborhood.

VIII. NEW BUSINESS:

Doris asked if anything will change with respect to the Butterfly Garden. She also asked whether any high school students were doing any portfolio work at Dan's farm.

IX. BUDGET: No report.

X. ELECTION OF OFFICES:

XI. ADJOURNMENT:

Owen made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Francine seconded the motion. Vote unanimous. The meeting adjourned at 7:47 pm.

Minutes taken by Francine Jackson
Respectfully submitted by,
Leslie B Alexander, Secretary
Lincoln Conservation Commission