

Guilford Conservation Commission  
Land Stewardship Committee

Meeting Agenda

**Monday, November 2, 2015, 7:00 PM**

Community Center, Alexander Lounge

Members: Heather Allore (secretary), Dave Bell, Doug Clark (chairperson), George Goss, Paul Mei, Phil Regas, Lynn Saiers

Alternate: Rob Musterer

Staff: Kevin Magee, Michelle Nazario

New Volunteers: Robin Baslaw, Susan Smith

1. Call to Order D. Clark
2. Approval of Agenda All
3. Approval of Minutes – September 14, 2015 M. Nazario
4. Public Forum D. Clark
5. Chairperson's Report D. Clark
  - a. Recent work parties
    - a.i. Braemore, 10/17: Doug Clark, Robin Baslaw, Susan Smith
    - a.ii. Timberlands, 10/30: Doug Clark, Phil Regas
  - b. Proposed meeting dates for 2016 (first Monday, every other month), except when first Monday is a holiday (e.g., July 4, September 5)
    - b.i. January 4, March 7, May 2, July 11, September 12, November 7
  - c. Priority tasks review (see p. 2)
6. Environmental Planner's Report K. Magee
  - a. Budget
  - b. Land Stewards
  - c. Storage of tools & materials
  - d. Tools & materials to be purchased
  - e. LSC mission statement/job description
  - f. Other
7. GCC & CFPA Liaison Reports P. Mei
8. Trail reports; proposed work parties
  - a. Braemore
  - b. Timberlands
  - c. East River Preserve
9. Other Business: news, events, suggestions, new agenda items, etc.
10. Adjournment

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### Priority tasks (October 2014, revised & updated 9/15):

Braemore meadow mowing

Timberland, East River, Braemore, James Valley trail maps

- a. On town website
- b. Hard copies

Timberland re-blazing:

- c. Red to White X,
- d. main White (in a few short locations),
- e. Red Circle,
- f. Green,
- g. Blue X through Gulch,
- h. Purple (ideas to make more visible?)

Timberland construction projects:

1. Complete boardwalk on NET heading N from N Madison Rd (joint project with CFPA)
2. Install split rail fencing at Twin Bridge parking/trailhead

ERP:

1. erosion in gully that the NET crosses when leaving the southern field to the overgrown area we worked on early in the season.
2. Many illegal trails needing to be blocked off
3. vandalism at Sullivan Drive entrance/trailhead
4. blazing & trimming of Red trail?

Braemore: downed/snagged trees just past boardwalk (Land Stewards?)

Braemore re-blazing (Heather)

ERP: Gate project (Kevin)

Additional tool/supply purchases: drill bits, cro-bar, toolbelt, 3" deck screws, deck nails, rake, small pruners.