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Ponds Management Bill Connors

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Minutes of 02/01/2012 Meeting, held at Town Hall

Members present: Dan Ryan, Cliff Snuffer, Bill Connors, Eric Skogseth, Paul Stelmash, Ken Southwood, David Sullivan, and Leo Murphy. Two residents also attended.

Meeting opened at 6:31pm

Dan Ryan made a motion to approve Minutes of 12/07/2011 meeting. Dave Sullivan seconded motion. Vote to approve 5-0-0

Dan Ryan announced that a sign for the fountain at Clarks Pond will be made this spring, and paid for from the Gift Fund.

Cliff Snuffer reported of a meeting with Raveis Company's Jim Duffy that he attended with Dan Ryan and Eric Skogseth. The company is exploring the possibility of funding a new garage at Turners Lodge. More information is to follow.

Members had a brief discussion on the upcoming Capital Budget Cmte meeting on 2/28/2012.

Members discussed Skating issues at Turners Pond. Fees, hardship cases and "No Skating due to thin ice" were among the topics reviewed.

. Dan Ryan stated that he would like to put an ad in the local newspapers next winter stating all procedures and related issues with skating at Turners Pond, to make sure all residents are clear on policy and procedure.

Members discussed a complaint made to the town in regards to skating fee at Turners Lodge. They decided all questions should be directed to Dan Ryan by phone or email.

Discussion held about Conservation Cmtes request for a year long water level protocol at Turners Pond and reporting on activities at the Lodge. Members have no recollection of this request.

Cliff Snuffer made a motion to plan a mutual meeting with Conservation Cmte in regards to water levels at Turner Pond. Meeting to be topic specific to this matter. Dan Ryan seconded motion. Vote to approve meeting 5-0-0

Old business discussed.

New business discussed.
Bill Connors made a motion to adjourn meeting. Eric Skogseth seconded motion. Vote to adjourn 5-0-0.
Meeting adjourned at 7.25pm
Old business discussed. New business discussed.
Dan Ryan-Cliff Snuffer-Dave Melish-Bill Connors -Bill Wiseman-Dave Sullivan- Eric Skogseth-Leo Murphy-Ken Southwood-Paul Stelmash