

**Danby Conservation Advisory Council
Minutes of Regular Meeting
August 26, 2013**

Present:

Joel Gagnon
Dan Klein
Mary Woodsen
Jake Brenner

Others Present:

Public Ronda Roaring

Minutes

The September meeting date was changed from 9/23 to 9/30.

The July minutes were approved as amended.

We decided that the person who takes the minutes will be responsible for incorporating future changes to the minutes to come up with an approved version, which will then be forwarded to the Town Clerk.

Deputron Hollow Property

It was reported that the Town Board approved funding of a survey for the Town-owned parcel in Deputron Hollow.

Future Easements

Mary will talk with Jennifer Tiffany about a possible easement on her land.

Conservation Easement Template

There was some discussion about exactly what the Town Board meant when they said they would like to see public input on the direction the CAC is heading in. We decided to hold a public meeting tentatively scheduled for Saturday November 9, 2:00, at the Town Hall to present our work and the concepts of conservation easements to the public.

We commented on the 2 documents Jake produced complementing the easement template. One is intended for the general public and one is intended for Town officials. We liked both of them and all agreed that the one for Town officials needs more elaboration.

Sue Beeners wrote some comments about the easement template and we need to look more closely at these. They include the need to add a process for boundary adjustments into the easement.

Submitted by Dan Klein