Town of Auburn Conservation Commission April 1, 2014

Present: Jeff Porter, Alan Villeneuve, Peg Donovan, Diana Heaton

Approve minutes of March Meeting

Alan Villenueve Second – Peg Donovan All in favor

Clean-up Day May 10

Meet at fire station at 8:00a.m. get route, coffee and donuts available Hot dogs and soda at 11:30 a.m. back at the station

New Business

Dana and Joyce Carlucci – purchased Clifford and Lillian Stacey's property in 1976, on Silver Hill road

Have a pit they renew every year. Want to remove 35,000 cubic yards of sand to level the area out.

Edge would be on the buffer. Planning board wants reclamation plans done. Seasonal stream that runs under a culvert alongside Silver Hill. Area has become wetter through the years as a result of beaver work. Stuff has been taking out to work on the road but these people have not taken anything out themselves. A lot of ATV activity, found 400 pallets someone was planning on having a big bonfire, police were able to track down someone involved and have them remove the pallets.

Peg asked how much will need to be in the wet area?

Carlicci said would be working within 20-30' of that. Alan Villenueve asked planning to haul it away?

Yes, want to Level the area off.

Jeff Porter asked what the topography is guy said a pit, flat where already removed but sharp hill plan area to remove. Guy said is a knob want to remove a slope off to make it usable. Alan Villenueve expressed concern about a bridge type place concerned about it being able to be handle the weight of the trucks. It crosses a wide brook Mr. Carlucci said. Alan said he was concerned about the effects all that work would have on the stream if the "bridge" is not structurally sound.

Alan Villenueve when are you looking to start and do you have a location for the fill. Carlucci - Is just the preliminary stages and were told to approach Eaton who has a development he might beinterested in the fill. Carlucci wants to make it in better shape if they decide to sell it. C.J. should definitely take a look, are pros and cons about the way it is being use now. Due to constraints on the owner's time, and the commission trying to schedule, the con com thought they would go look at the property tonight, after the meeting.

Jeff Porter mentioned the Myles Travel property, but the Conservation Commission have not heard back from them so they will wait until they hear from them. Also J. Porter understands from Tim Therrion that he has got the Selectmen's blessing and that Stantec has looked at it and that the Recreation Commission is planning on going ahead with their proposed project to

create more fields in the wetland area. The Conservation Commission was not in favor of the proposal when it came up at a previous meeting.

Homeowner enquiring about an easement

Motion to go into non-public session – Alan Villenueve Second – Jeff Porter

Come out of non- public –Alan Villenueve Second – Jeff Porter

Motion to move the meeting to Silver Hill road – Alan Villenueve Second – Peg Donovan

Motion to adjourn

Alan Villenueve Second- Jeff Porter

Meeting closes at 8:24p.m.