

**TOWN OF EPSOM  
CONSERVATION COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES  
*Epsom Town Offices*  
June 22, 2023, 6:00 PM**

**PRESENT**

Robyn Sweeney-Blaise, Chair  
Chad Decker, Vice Chair  
Kate Champney, Commissioner  
Samantha Lazo, Commissioner  
Meadow Wysocki, Selectmen Representative

**ALSO PRESENT**

Jennifer Riel, Recording Secretary

**CALL TO ORDER**

Chair Blaise called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM.

**AGENDA REVIEW**

No changes were made to the agenda.

**Camping Policy**

Chair Blaise stated she received an email from the Board of Selectmen in regard to creating policies. She met with the Board and the procedures were clarified. The Commissioners discussed the camping policy; it was clarified there is no camping and per the ordinance permits may be granted by special exception. Ms. Wysocki suggested having signs put up stating no camping is allowed in the Town Forest. She suggested developing an application for the special exception.

Chair Blaise stated she is waiting to receive a contract from the Town Forester for the timber harvesting. Ms. Wysocki explained the intention is that the revenues generated will cover the costs of the upgrades to the parking and road into the park.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Meeting of March 16, 2023 – No edits were made. **Ms. Champney motioned to approve the minutes as presented. Mr. Decker seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.**

Meeting of May 18, 2023 – No edits were made. **Ms. Lazo motioned to approve the minutes as presented. Mr. Decker seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.**

**Next Meeting**

August 17, 2023, 6:00PM.

**Mr. Decker motioned to adjourn. Ms. Champney seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.**

The meeting was adjourned at 6:46 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

*Jennifer Riel*

Jennifer Riel, Recording Secretary

APPROVED