HILLSBOROUGH CONSERVATION COMMISSION February 25, 2025 Approved Minutes Hillsborough Town Hall, 27 School St.

Chair Head called the Hillsborough Conservation Commission (HCC) meeting to order at 7:01 pm.

Members present: Richard Head, Chair; James McDonough, Vice Chair; Terry Yeaton, Roger Shamel (arrived 7:05), Jim Narloch, Linda White. Staff: John P. Segedy, Recording Secretary & Alternate.

MINUTES

a. February 11, 2025

Richard Head suggested a wording change.

James McDonough moved: *To approve the minutes of February 11, 2025 as amended.* Linda White seconded. Motion passed 4-0-1 (Terry Yeaton abstained).

CORRESPONDENCE

a. NH Department of Environmental Services (NHDES) – 120 Emerald Dr. (M 17, L 208). Closed File.

b. Association of Conservation Commissions (ACC) – E-mail notification of a State Funding Webinar.

c. Paul Wilmott & Peggi Nightingale – Intent to Cut - Cooledge Road (M 4, L 59, 60, 61)

d. NH Lakes Association – Quarterly Publication.

e. NH Division of Forests and Lands – Caroline A. Fox Research and Demonstration Forest Newsletter.

OLD BUSINESS

a. Trail Mapping – Jim Riddle had sent an update of progress on the mapping project by Shawna Crosby.

b. March 11th Meeting – Will be canceled due to that being Town Meeting night. John Segedy will check mail on Thursday the 6th and if there is anything urgent a meeting will be scheduled on March 12th.

c. DES Applications – John Segedy spoke to the Town Clerk regarding the change in law and she will provide the CC copies in whichever format that they are received.

d. Easement

James McDonough moved: *To enter Non-Public Session pursuant to 91-A:3 II d. Linda White seconded.* Richard Head – Yes, James McDonough – Yes, Terry Yeaton - Yes, Roger Shamel - Yes, Jim Narloch - Yes, Linda White – Yes. The HCC entered Non Public Session at 7:09

During the Non-Public Session the HCC discussed communications with a property owner regarding a conservation easement and the HCC's possible assistance moving forward. This will be discussed further in April.

James McDonough moved: *To exit Non-Public Session*. Roger Shamel seconded. Motion passed at 7:25

NEW OR OTHER BUSINESS

a. Household Well Water Testing – Richard Head asked if there would be interest in holding a presentation about well water testing. It was suggested to see if there would be any interest in the Library to co-sponsor it. Richard Head will ask.

ADJOURNMENT

Roger Shamel moved: *To adjourn.* Jim Narloch seconded. Motion passed 6-0 at 7:40 pm.

Respectfully Submitted:

John P. Segedy Recording Secretary Approved March 25, 2025