

Columbia Open Space Committee

Regular Meeting

April 10, 2014

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 AM with Ann Dunnack, Walt Tabor, Don Schofield, and Paul Ramsey present.

The minutes were approved 4-0-0.

Old Business:

Wellswood: The Lucarellis rejected the Town's offer.

Kassman: The State is finishing details on the development rights purchase, and Columbia can go to Town Meeting for approval in June or July.

Ramm Marsh: The Board of Selectmen plan to hold a site walk this spring.

Ellis: The Engineer is developing cost estimates for access to Route 66, a short driveway, and a small parking lot.

New Business:

Szegda Farm Heritage Trails Day: Plans are progressing.

Trust for Public Land: Paul has arranged for Alicia Sullivan, the Connecticut director of The Trust for Public Land, to come to the OS meeting on May 15, 2014. Ms. Sullivan will tell us about TPL and the work that they do. We will present our Wellswood Project to her, in hopes that we can work together.

The meeting adjourned at 8:45 AM.

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Dunnack

Secretary pro tem

Received: April 14, 2014
At 8:25
Attest: Gabe M. Benzfeld
Town Clerk/Assistant Town Clerk