

Unapproved Meeting Minutes  
Shrewsbury Conservation Commission  
October 3, 2023; 5:15 PM; 450 Frank Lord Road

**Attendees:** Michelle Greene, Linda Shelvey, Weezie Duda, Carrie Clancy, Cynthia Thornton, Peter Grace  
**Absent:** Connie Youngstrom, Pam Darrow, Chris Clarke

**Minutes:**

Item	Topic	Discussion:
1	September 2023 Minutes	September 5, 2023 meeting minutes approved. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Motion made by Michelle Greene</li> <li>● Seconded by Linda Shelvey</li> <li>● Cynthia Thornton abstained.</li> <li>● All others approved.</li> </ul>
2	Walks and Talks	10/28/23: Devin Snyder/Velco Forester. Bear signs and vegetation control in right-of-way 2/16/24: 7-9 at library. Travis Hart Invasives Control Weezie in touch with amphibians presenter about other possible options.
3	Wildlife Crossings	Wildlife tracking winter kickoff training gathering. Potluck lunch and presentation. Linda will send invite and advertise. 11/4/23 1-3pm at Meetinghouse. SCC will purchase and pay for beverages. Weezie motion to provide bevies, Seconded by Linda. Cynthia Opposed. All other approved.
4	Financials	Weezie reviewed expenses that were submitted by Chris. We are currently over budget \$89.71 for 2023. This amount plus any additional expenses this year will be paid from reserve account, including estimated \$150 for wildlife tracking winter kickoff gathering. Weezie anticipates that the estimated \$150 for wildlife tracking winter kickoff gathering will end up being more like \$15. Michelle moved to accept financials, Linda seconded, all approved.
5	Calendar	If we decide to make calendars in future, Linda thinks cost would be \$12
6	Invasives	Per Weezie, Pam waiting for cows to be moved near Lincoln Hill / Town Hill Rds before tackling purple loosestrife. Cows not moved yet, may be too late for this year. Weezie tackling multiflora rose on her own property.
7	Welcome Bags	Still hearing from neighbors requesting welcome bag visits, Weezie setting up appointments.
8	After School Program	No new discussion
9	New Business?	WMA: Per Joel Flewellyn logging done, road regraded, reseeded, taped, signage for foot travel only. Parade: Weezie recvd feedback that kids loved animal masks

10	Next Meeting	<p>Date: November 7, 2023  Time: 5:15 PM  Location: 450 Frank Lord Road  Focus of meeting will be on goals.</p> <p>Weezie made motion to skip December 2023 and January 2024 meetings. Carrie seconded. All approved.</p>
	Adjournment	<p>The meeting was adjourned at 6:04 pm</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Motion made by Cynthia</li> <li>● Seconded by Carrie</li> <li>● All approved.</li> </ul>

Minutes Prepared By:

- Carrie Clancy 10/3/2023

- Secretary, Shrewsbury Conservation Commission