

MEETING AGENDA

Shrewsbury Conservation Commission

October 7, 2025

5:15 pm

450 Frank Lord Road

1. Minutes

- Approve the minutes of the September 2, 2025, meeting.

2. Financials

- Receive a report from the SCC Treasurer.
- Change to AVCC membership year – now October 1 to September 30. Treasurer recommends an appropriation for \$50.00 for AVCC dues. Last payment was Jan 2025, which means there will be two payments this year.

3. Debrief of Shrewsbury Day Parade and Skit

4. Walks and Talks

- Autumn Treasures Walk – 10/18/25, 2-4 pm at Jockey Hill Farm.
- “The Invisible Mammal” bat film – Confirm screening date.
- Presentation by Tom Gieder on Living in Harmony with Bears – Confirm presentation date.

5. Wildlife Tracking Project Update

- Update on discussion with Jens Hilke – Linda
- Discuss/select date for joint meeting with the Planning Commission to discuss results of tracking program and how they might inform the update of the Town Plan.

6. Report on the AVCC Summit Meeting – Cynthia

7. Invasives Program

- Update on progress of this year’s invasives abatement efforts - Pam.

8. Pollinator Garden

- Update on next steps – Connie.

9. Plastic Bag/Soft Plastics Collection

- Update on discussion of the program with transfer station staff to get their feelings about the program's feasibility for Shrewsbury, and a volunteer's willingness to take the soft plastics from the transfer station to the collection site - Weezie.

10. Gary’s Grove Clean-up

- Confirm who can help with mowing/trimming on October 16 at 1 pm - Connie.

11. Ash Tree Inventory

- Status of effort to locate the inventory completed by Gary Salmon – Weezie.

12. New Business

- Posting on AVCC - Pam