

TOWN OF BRANFORD PARKS AND OPEN SPACE AUTHORITY

Meeting Agenda January 5, 2022

INDOOR MEETING
BRANFORD COMMUNITY HOUSE
46 Church Street

6:00 PM

PUBLIC DISCUSSION:

- Christmas Tree at Supply Ponds

WARDENS REPORT: Don Kacenski

- General report
- Queach fence repair – Completed
- Trash removal from illegal campsite – Completed
- Chain & lock for new gate on Branford Trail - Completed
- Padlock for Quarry Kiosk - Completed
- Police Radio request – On hold due to supply chain bottlenecks
- Kiosk repairs - Pending

SUPPLY PONDS:

- Bill Aniskovich - 5 Hannah Drive encroachment – No action or response.
- Erosion and sedimentation behind Ferndale & Island View Condos – No action
- Pine Gutter Brook – Boy Scouts erosion control project - Ainsley
 - J Witkowski contacted - Discussion
 - Sed Pond estimate – Discussion
 - Bridge replacement - JT
- Yellow Trail rehab at Scotts Bench. Tree removal & Trail repair – Discussion.
- “Entering Supply Ponds” signage – waiting for estimate
- Supply Pond Meadow – Mowing completed. Future actions?
- Peninsula Kiosk – Requested estimate.

PISGAH BROOK & SALTONSTALL MTN.:

- Plank walkway on Branford Trail near Eppes. Postpone to next FY?
- Boulder placement at DeLeo gate, culvert gate, “knockers Hole”, & surrounding area. Erosion control needed past DeLeo and on Laurel Hill – Estimates submitted. Requisitions for P.O.’s in progress.

BEACON HILL:

- No activity.

QUARRY:

- Kiosk at Van Wie Pond & repair of kiosk at Red Hill Road - pending.
- Land Trust Trail Maintenance Work Party – Saturday, January 11 at 9:00 am. Quarry parking area. Clean up and brush cutting.

OTHER/NEW BUSINESS:

- Greenway status for Branford Trail.
- Parks & Open Space Facebook page - Update
- Identify Items for inclusion in 2022/23 Budget year?
 - Trail maintenance
 - Erosion control
 - Pond treatment
- Other Items for discussion?

NEXT MEETING:

Wednesday, February 2, 2022 at The Branford Community Center at 6:00 pm.