

EAC Meeting 2/16/21

Minutes approved for January 2021

Present: Darryl Speicher, Sally Duffy, Kathleen Sandt, Jennifer Brown Mittereder, Patti O'Keefe

Discussion Items:

Darryl: Conservation District Timber Harvest Report. Old Canadensis Hill Road – Township Bridge.

Darryl saw a fisher at Ice Lake

Crown release – cut down trees around trees that they want to give more room. Behind 7 Pines.

Darryl has lined up birders to adopt and survey all Barrett properties/parks for biodiversity.

Parking lot at Ice Lake – pervious, so can't plow.

Mt. Wismer – don't know if plowed.

Gravel Preserve not plowed. Patti asked them to do this for XC and snowshoe people

Hazard Mitigation Plan – County looking at flood-prone areas, slopes – lists of areas, not really asking about a plan.

Edie Stevens shared information on Stormwater Mitigation Grant project with Patti. Mountainhome project – stormwater work done at Methodist Church. Affects Mill Creek. Now focusing on knotweed – grant to start this spring. BWA  
Cut 1<sup>st</sup>, then spray.

Do an awareness/volunteer day or 2 in spring to attack invasives.

Lake Browning / algae growth – possible increased water temperatures. Barley straw in Ice Lake?

Energy audit of municipal facilities.

Community compost plan – Darryl putting together – paper, Xmas trees.

Phragmites eradication in early April

Dark sky compliance – Jennifer to research and send info to EAC to help with writing an ordinance.

Meeting adjourned at 7:45

