

TOWN OF BARKHAMSTED  
**Barkhamsted Conservation Commission**  
February 2, 2023 Zoom Meeting  
Recorded  
Unapproved Minutes

**1. Call to Order**

Meeting called to order at 7:04 PM

Members Present: Linda Pulford, Mario Santoro, Judy Doyle, Dawn Anstett

Members Absent: Ginny Apple

**2. Approval of minutes**

January 2023 minutes were approved.

**3. Recognition of Public:**

Guest: Jeanine Reinier

**4. Old Business**

**Sustainable Connecticut**

Judy and Linda presented a power point of our proposed project plan for Sustainable CT. The plan is to pursue a Bronze Certification in two phases. The first phase will consist of actions we have already worked on or plan to work on in the near future. Each Commission member will take on one (or more) sub tasks in phase 1. After we get comfortable with the process and type of documentation Sustainable CT requires, we will be able to work on Phase 2 with groups outside our Commission in a more informed fashion. The power point will be distributed to our members next week. Next steps are for each member to become familiar with the requirements of their sub task and make progress this month. At the next meeting, we will each give a progress report and estimated completion date for each of our sub tasks.

**BCC section of town website**

Judy said our site is live and she is awaiting photos from Ginny. Judy will send us a link. We agreed on BarkhamstedConservation.org as our domain name.

**Earth Day Nature Festival 4/30**

We would like Ginny to send us a list of vendors or participants who have been contacted and those who have already committed so we can add other vendors we may know of i.e. have Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts been contacted? For BCC, we will have the results of our contest: Make something out of recycled materials. Dawn and Judy will have a flyer and rules for us mid-February. We don't know if food trucks are allowed. Linda ordered 200 free wildflower seed packets to distribute.

**5. New Business**

**Litter**

We had a discussion about the litter problem on Route 219, cases of cans of White Claw.

**New Member**

Jeanine is interested in joining and will follow up with Don Stein. We are excited to have her join us.

**6. Motion to adjourn:** adjourned at 8:04 PM

Respectfully submitted, Linda Pulford