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CONSERVATION COMMISSION MEETING
WEDNESDAY July 1, 2026 5:30 pm
Location: Public Safety Building (PSB)

1. Additions/Changes to Agenda
2. Welcome Visitors – Missisquoi River Basin Association (MRBA) staff; Dorothy Abraham, Franklin County Natural Resources Conservation District (FCNRCD) (Topics in red could be discussed first in order to accommodate visitors' schedules.)
3. Approval of Minutes from June 3, 2026
4. Budget/CD Update
5. MRBA – Overview of a new forest road assessment tool which MRBA has been exploring
6. Events/Projects
 - a. Recent
 - Town Forest – meeting with Charlie Hancock re: bird habitat project funded by CHC/Cornell – 6/5/26
 - Tree Planting in honor of MES Class of 2026 – 6/9/26
 - Town Land - knotweed pulling – 6/24/26
 - b. Planned Events
 - Audubon visit to Town Forest and maybe Town Land – date TBD. Original 6/19 date needed to be rescheduled.
7. Proposed/Discussion/Updates:
 - a. Town Land (TL) -
 - i. Status update - Vermont River Conservancy project – Selectboard presentation 6/15, etc.
 - ii. Status update and discussion – L-T Management Plan
 - iii. Mowing plan, status/care of trees - update
 - iv. Community Tree Fund Grant – plan for fall planting, options for purchase of trees
 - v. Flood Resilience Project - update
 - vi. Knotweed Project – update
 - b. Town Forest (TF) –
 - i. UMATR Grant – bridge design - update
 - ii. Recreational Trails Program (RTP) Grant – update
 - c. Stickers with MCC logo – plan for distribution
 - d. Brochure for MCC – status on update of brochure
 - e. Replacement tree for MES 2025 graduating class - update
 - f. Tree plaque for MES 2026 Graduating Class – update on its selection and the ordering of it
 - g. Farmer's Market – dates and plans, including raffle