NORTHFIELD CONSERVATION COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES OF DECEMBER 13, 2021

Members Present: Chair Heather Durgin, Vice Chair Mark Chaffee, Charlie Page, Tony Pucci **Others Present:** Aimee Dearborn, Howard Lewis

Chair Durgin opened the meeting at 7:08pm

Minutes - Page/Chaffee moved to accept the minutes of November 08, 2021 - Motion Passed

"Conservation Corner" for the Northfield News – The board discussed combining a bird feeding and Christmas tree disposal article to run in January. Mrs. Durgin will provide that to Stephanie Giovannucci for the Northfield News via email.

Trail / Conservation Properties update – Mr. Page and Mr. Pucci have walked Sotoir and Knowles Pond trails indicating very little trash but a few small tree down from strong wind. Nothing that prevents the use of the trail. Mrs. Durgin adds she has been to Glines Park trail finding very little trash and small tree branches down.

Other Business – Mr. Page states he would like to have Knowles Pond stocked with trout on a trial basis. He will contact Region 2 New Hampton Fish & Game officer John Viar to arrange attending a Conservation Commission meeting to discuss stocking the pond. Mr. Lewis from 17 Haggett Farm Road points out there is a 75 foot deep hole in the pond ideal for having trout stocked. Mr. Chaffee and Mr. Pucci is concerned about increased traffic creating trash and fishing line being discarded improperly. The board agrees to put a receptacle at the pond for correct disposal of fishing line and lures. Also, Mrs. Durgin asks how to gain access to the town's office for the meeting since Ms. Dearborn will no longer be assisting them. Ms. Dearborn directs Mrs. Durgin to Ken Robichaud the Town Administrator to see how to handle this.

Adjournment – Mr. Pucci offers to take January's meeting minutes

There being no other business meeting adjourned at 8:23 PM

MEETING MINUTES APPROVED ON JANUARY 10, 2022