FRYEBURG CONSERVATION COMMITTEE

February 28, 2024

American Legion Hall

Meeting Minutes

1. 7:10 pm Convene with quorum. Alison Leech, Nels Liljedahl, Jennifer Snell Rullman and Stan Rullman present. Absent: *Donna Girard* and *Dylan Harry*. Guest: Scott Campbell, Maine Post & Beam

2. Review January Meeting Minutes. Motion to approve: Nels, 2nd: Stan

3. Treasury Update: $5,000

* Some discussion around Katie’s email requesting the 2025 budget
* Also discussion on funds for learning center in Town Forest (FTF), included under that section below.

4. Discussion Topics

1. Town Forest and Trail:

* New learning center
* Scott Campbell, Maine Post & Beam, present to go over his bid for the learning center.
* $25,000 allotted for this: $17,500 for timber frame + $7,500 for roof. $2,000 deposit from last year to go toward site prep and the foundation
* Discussed plan/design
* Need to set date to meet on site to determine layout (in April or May when snow is gone)
* Discussed having wooden pegs adopted for fundraising (~70 pegs required for construction), and community event to get the materials to the construction site
* Conservation easement (CE)
  + $7,500 from Community Resiliency grant to cover CE costs
  + Surveyed by Bliss
  + Will need to go to the public hearing for voting

b. Conservation Events: NA

c. Budget Meetings and Warrant Articles: NA

d. Community Resilience Partnership: NA

e. Discuss Strategic Plan – Jennifer passed out copies of edited Strategic Plan document. Decided to meet at 6:00 PM before March 27 meeting to continue strategic planning discussion.

5. New Business: NA

6. Public Forum: NA

7. Adjourned at 8:17 PM