

Charlemont Conservation Commission
September 11th, 2025, 7:00 PM
Via conference call and in person, Town Hall
Meeting Minutes

Members Participating: Thorne Palmer, Andrea Santos, Clay Herbert, Scott Randall

Others Participating: Star Atkeson

Thorne Palmer called the meeting to order at 7:01 PM

Action items:

1. Review / Approve Minutes from July 17, 2025 and August 14, 2025

Star did some more revisions on the July 17th Minutes. **Clay Herbert made a motion to approve both sets of minutes as written. Scott Randall seconded the motion. All in favor.**

Discussion items:

2. 180 8A update, discuss extension

Brian didn't move a lot this month— 6,000ish pounds of scrap. Doug Annear said they are actively moving stuff away from the resource area. Brian wants to clean everything up where the barn and the house is. In the yard between his house and his brother's is a brook, the ConComm hasn't looked at that yet.

The board would like to go up in the next few weeks and take some pictures. There is a bylaw that says more than 2 unregistered cars on property, will incur a charge of \$2.00 per day per car. No one ever invoked that. His license had always had the number of cars left blank. It may be time to invoke that bylaw after the 6-month extension, but that's not the ConComm. He is motivated without the town at this point, he wants to clean it up so his daughter won't have to deal with it. The board wants to visit on September 27th at 1:00 PM.

3. Tree specifications for National Grid

Thorne will write a letter and send it out to national Grid about where and what trees the town will have in exchange for the trees cut for the pole replacement work. He'll get the list of trees and include it.

Andrea Santos motioned to adjourn at 7:36, Scott Randall seconded the motion. All in favor.

Documents reviewed in meeting:

- Minutes of July 17, 2025 and August 14, 2025