



## TOWN OF PELHAM

6 Village Green  
Pelham, NH 03076

### FORESTRY COMMITTEE

### MINUTES

October 1, 2019

PELHAM POLICE STATION TRAINING ROOM

7:00 P.M. – 8:18 P.M.

Meeting opened at 7:00 p.m.

Fall Work Schedule – Discussion of pending fall work projects:

Gumpus Pond Conservation Area – Beaver device needs repair; scheduled for late fall

Cutler Spalding Conservation Area – stone wall repair to prevent motor vehicle intrusions; scheduled for late fall after timber harvest

Moose Pond Town Forest – awaiting certified wetland scientist report on wetland violation on snowmobile trail

Potential Future Projects – connecting trails at PVMP with trails at Merriam Cutter; needs further review

Merriam Farm – possible designation as town forest; needs review by town forester

Solar Energy Facility – discussion of potential solar farm facility on town forest; need 5 acres; Merriam Farm a potential site; further research needed

Complaint Regarding Dead Branches Along Roadway – discussion and decision to prepare a Forestry Committee policy

Trail Adopter Reports – Significant clearing and clean-up at Merriam Cutter parking area to improve visibility; clean-up of parking area at Peabody Town



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Forest, installation of trail posts and widening of new section of yellow trail, discussion regarding clearing of vegetation around parking area to improve visibility

Present: Brendan Decelles, Gayle Plouffe, Bob Lameuroux, Paul Gagnon, Deborah Waters

Also present: Brian Zahn, Scott Bowden, Al Steward, Paul Plouffe, Ed Kavanaugh, Kevin Cote, Nick Spanos, Mary Hathaway

Adjourn: 8:18 p.m.