

Land Conservation Committee
April 3,2019

Attendees:
Annabelle Juhasz
David Hoppee
Paul Fithian
Martha Maust

Meeting called to order at 415pm by Annabelle Juhasz (chairperson)

David announced that Save the Dunes will have a Stewardship Day on April 19th 10am-noon at Stockwell Woods. The project will be concentrated on removing invasive plants especially garlic mustard. No rain date has been scheduled.

A great deal of work was involved to prepare Stockwell Woods for a prescribe burn, but the burn that was planned during the winter of 2019 didn't occur. During the period of snow cover, this area experienced severe cold weather so it wasn't done. The permit extends to the end of 2019, so if the weather cooperates, a prescribed burn in Stockwell Woods wood occur when we have the first snowfall.

An event for public education on tree planting and care was discussed, but it was decided that there may not be enough interest to have a public event, but instead David Hoppe will see what information he can gather. Perhaps he could have it posted on the Long Beach web site. We'd like to make people aware of plants, bushes, and trees that are native to our area. And by planting native landscaping it would be beneficial for bees, birds, and butterflies.

Meeting was adjourned at 445pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Martha Maust