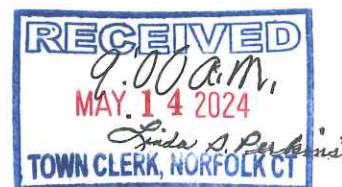


Friends of the Meadow  
May 7, 2024 at 6:00 pm  
Town Hall with Zoom  
Minutes



Attending: Molly Ackerly, Libby Borden, George Cronin, Paul Madore, Michael Selleck  
Absent: Lisa Atkin, Martyn Banks, Doreen Kelly  
Guests: Steve Melville, Matt Riiska, John Anderson

Libby called the meeting to order at 6:03 pm.

The minutes of the April 2, 2024 meeting were approved.

The committee welcomed new member Paul Madore.

A map of the Meadow was distributed.

Matt told the committee that a new guard rail has been installed in the parking lot between Ben Schiff's two properties, that Sean has mowed the Meadow and that KDF Tree completed the tree work on Monday and Tuesday of this week.

The balance of the meeting was a discussion of what maintenance needs to be done going forward: applying herbicides to the tree stumps, removing unwanted woody plants on the hillside and applying herbicides, applying herbicides to the phragmites and invasive cattails, the cleaning out of the forebay, the fixing of the drainage, and the maintaining of the walkways.

An overall plan for the Meadow was discussed at length. The committee will meet at 5:30 on June 4<sup>th</sup> and spend the meeting in the Meadow to get a better sense and some agreement on what an overall plan would be.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:08.

Libby and George