

TOWN OF GORHAM  
CONSERVATION BOARD  
MINUTES  
August 3rd, 2022

The Town of Gorham Conservation Board met on Wednesday August 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2022 at 7:00 pm at the Gorham Town Hall.

Present were; Chairman Brett Johnson and Councilmember Ben Smith. Councilmembers Meg Brewin and Georganna Greenlee joined via Zoom/Phone Conference.

Also present was Town Clerk Darby Perrotte.

Councilmembers Lynn Klotz, Keith Eddinger and Brian Mastrosimone were necessarily absent.

Chairman Johnson opened the meeting and led the Pledge to the Flag.

Privilege of the Floor – none requested

Approval of Minutes - A motion was made by Councilmember Smith to approve the meeting minutes from 6-1-2022, seconded by Chairman Johnson, the minutes were approved as submitted.

Business –

A. ROW - Organic Waste Recycling 2022 –

Chairman Johnson said he will order 100 buckets on Thursday August 4, 2022. He has reached out to a local business to produce the labels for the buckets. Once he has a template of the sticker he will email it to Councilmembers for their approval.

Councilmembers discussed the logos that need to be added to the labels along with updated information regarding what food items are accepted into the buckets.

Councilmembers discussed having signs for the ROW Project at both fire halls and also possibly using the electronic signs at both fire halls.

Chairman Johnson can have totes at both fire halls as soon as Councilmembers decide on a date to start.

Collection has started up again at Gorham Transfer Station.

Chairman Johnson spoke about eliminating the need for a Grant from the County in the future and more about partnering with Marcus Whitman for the start of the school year.

B. Solar Farm –

Chairman Johnson said the Conservation Board needs to discuss the potential of solar farms in the Town of Gorham. He will get information for discussion at the next meeting.

C. SEQR –

Chairman Johnson said SEQR for the proposed highway garage would be a good project for the Councilmembers to practice on. He will get information for more discussion at the next meeting.

**Action items to work on before the next meeting**

Determine a start date for totes at the fire halls  
Order labels and attach to buckets

C. Privilege of the Floor – none requested

D. The Next Meeting of the Gorham Conservation Board will be held on September 7th, 2022 at 7:00 pm at the Gorham Town Hall.

With no further business, on the motion by Chairman Johnson, seconded by Councilmember Smith, the meeting adjourned at 8:55 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Darby L. Perrotte  
Town Clerk