RICHMOND CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Minutes, May 10, 2016

7:30 p.m.

Town Center Meeting Room, 203 Bridge St.

Present: Jake Davignon, Judy Rosovsky, Alison Anand, Bob Low, and Elizabeth (Ibit) Wright

7:30 Stated Meeting

**Public comments**: No members of the public attended.

Minutes for April meeting: Approved.

Additions, amendments to agenda; other business arising:

Discussed **Green-Up Day** and how it went around town. Seems like it was successful, but there were stretched of road that were not covered.

Discussed the **Richmond Town Plan Mapping Meeting on May 4**<sup>th</sup>. About 50 people were there. Bob Low had created good maps that were very helpful for the planning process and the meeting.

Discussed **the Winooski River Paddlers Race planned for June 5**<sup>th</sup>. We'll staff a table at Volunteers Green fro noon to 2:00-ish. Bob and Ibit might be able to do this. We need to make a brochure that informs people about the RCC work and about the silver maple/ostrich fern floodplain forest habitat in Richmond along the Winooski River. Judy will draft this. Bob will gather maps to show at the table.

Judy will send to the Richmond Front Porch Forum the **letter she sent to vendors re: proper harvest practices of fiddlehead ferns** to prevent overharvest and abuse of the abundance.

Judy will talk with Rick Barrett about a **photo page on our web site**. Send Judy photos of Richmond scenery and natural places.

Judy will go to the Select Board Meeting on May 16<sup>th</sup>. There are **two seats up on the RCC**—Alison's and Rick's.

9:00 Adjourn

Minutes respectfully submitted by Elizabeth Wright