

**North Haven Conservation Commission
Minutes January 22, 2024
Park & Rec Center Conference Room**

The meeting was called to order at 7 pm by Chairperson Sue Dannenhoffer.

Present: S. Dannenhoffer, G. Giordano, F. Notaro, A. Riggs, R. Sola, S. Stetson, M. Freda

Election of Officers: Mike Freda, First Selectman, installed the officers for the upcoming year.
Chair: Sue Dannenhoffer, Vice Chair: Gerri Giordano, Secretary: Sandra Stetson

Minutes: November 27, 2023 approved. There was no meeting in December.

Announcements

Hamden's Earth Day Event is Saturday, April 27th 10 am until 2 pm.

Earth Day: Saturday, April 20, 2024, 10 am until 1:30 pm at the Park & Rec Center. Each member needs to contact vendors / organizations for whom they are responsible. Sandy will order 10 more signs. She will have labels made for the remaining signs from last year with this year's date. Ray will be responsible for the scavenger hunt and contacting the face painter. Greeter table will be needed.

Herbie Trees: Gerri reported the 10 trees will not be available until 2025. Elm Research Institute in Walpole, New Hampshire has offered us 10 free American Liberty Elms that will be delivered this fall. We would be responsible for the cost of the freight which is \$355.00. We are thinking of offering some to the public via a lottery. Gerri will contact Mike Maturo to get his thoughts.

The next meeting is scheduled for Monday, February 26, 2024 beginning at 7 pm and will be held at the Park & Rec Center.

The meeting adjourned at 8:20 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Sandra Stetson
Secretary