
Orford Conservation Commission

Meeting of the Commission

Thursday, 2nd of July, 2026 at 6:30 PM

Niles Room, Orford Town Offices

2529 NH Rt. 25A, Orford, NH

and Via Zoom

MEETING AGENDA

1. **Call To Order** *(Durations Approximate)*
2. **Approve Minutes:** (5 minutes)
 - June 4th meeting
3. **Regular Business** (50 minutes)
 - Quick update on Orford Conservation Fund
 - Report-out on June 20th hike: Lupine Hike at Thomson Tree Farm
 - Quick comment on Mount Cube/Rivendell Trail hike for AMC 150th anniversary event on Wednesday, July 15th
 - Plans for the July 25th hike up Peaked Mountain on Orford/Piermont town line with the Piermont Conservation Commission
 - Opportunities for summer birding outings
 - Discussion on spring/summer trail work efforts
 - Feedback from June 27th Mount Cube/Rivendell Trail effort
 - Update on CRT --- Creamery/Townshed Roads (fencing)
 - Next steps; target dates for other Orford trail work efforts
 - Follow-up/next steps on Foreign Invasive Plants for 2026
 - Discussion of Beaver Management/Wetlands issues
 - Update on trail planning with NEWT/UVLT
 - Trail flagging from Mason Pond to Stonehouse Mountain summit (Southern route, clockwise)
 - Trail flagging from Stonehouse Mountain Lookout junction to snowmobile trail (Northern route, clockwise)
 - Expected timing for trail work, kiosk, parking, etc.
 - Update on High Bridge Road bridge project
 - Update on Richmond property issue
4. **Non-Public Closed Session (as needed):** (5 minutes)
 - NH RSA 91-A:3, II(d) or II(l)
5. **Next Meetings:**

Upcoming Commission Meetings - First Thursday of the Month, Niles Room:
August 6th, 2026 at 6:30 PM
September 3rd, 2026 at 6:30 PM
6. **Adjourn**

Zoom Meeting Information:

Topic: OCC 1st Thursday Zoom Meeting

Time: July 2nd, 2026, 18:30 Eastern Time (US and Canada)

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