



CITY OF DOVER

CONSERVATION COMMISSION AGENDA

Meeting Type: Public Hearing and Workshop Meeting
Meeting Location: Council Conference Room – 288 Central Ave, Dover, NH
Meeting Date: **Monday, April 30, 2007**
Meeting Time: **5:30 pm**

Public Hearing

In accordance with RSA 36-A:5, the Dover Conservation Commission will hold a Public Hearing for the purpose of receiving input on a proposal to expend funds from the Conservation Fund to purchase a conservation easement on a 59.3-acre portion of a 62.5 parcel of land known as Hickory Hill Farm located off of Back Road. The parcel is owned by William and Nancy Hunt. The parcel is known as Map M, Lot 100 on the Dover tax maps. More information is provided on the attached memo.

The Public Hearing will be followed by a possible vote on recommending to the City Council to authorize expenditures from the Conservation Fund for the land protection project described above and in the attached memo.

Workshop Meeting

In accordance with RSA 36-A:2, and Dover City Code, Chapter 14-5, the Dover Conservation Commission will consider a proposal to form a **Water Resources Subcommittee** for the purposes of conducting studies, research and evaluations to make recommendations for the better promotion, development or utilization of water resources within the City. Such evaluations may include but are not limited to:

- Protection of groundwater resources (the City's drinking water supplies) underlying areas where sand and gravel extraction operations are taking place.
- Investigating causes and possible remedies for persistent high water levels in Willand Pond.
- Investigating the causes of and possible mitigation strategies for avoiding further repeated flood damage in several areas of the City.
- Participation in the activities of the several watershed advisory committees associated with the Cochecho, Bellamy and Oyster Rivers.