Tilton Conservation Commission
Minutes from December 17, 2001

Members present: Jim Cropsey, chair; Chuck Mitchell, Paul Rushlow and Bob Hardy

Members absent: Ben Wadleigh

The meeting was called to order 6:32 PM

I. Minutes: It was moved by Paul Rushlow and seconded by Bob Hardy to accept the minutes of December 3, 2001 as edited and corrected. All voted in favor.

II. New Business: Jim reported to the commission that Marjorie Therrien of Epsom refused the secretarial position due to other employment opportunities and then we were informed that Kathryn Melanson of Holderness had agreed to accept the position.

III. Tilton School Water Quality Report: Due to the weather conditions (snow, sleet and freezing rain, the Tilton School contingency was a no-show.

IV. Summary. Chuck did a reading of the “summary of responsibilities” which Jim most recently edited as a result of changes made at the 12/3/01 meeting. After a discussion there was a motion to make additional changes which would be brought to the January 21, 2002 meeting. Chuck made the motion, it was seconded by Bob Hardy and motion passed. Jim will make the necessary edits and bring a clean copy to the January 21, 2002 meeting.

V. Wal-Mart. We reiterated our concerns that the language in the current deed does not allow public access for use of the picnic area. Jim agreed to contact Attorney Mark Puffer and Delee Wood of Wal-Mart to try to get this remaining issue resolved. If possible, new language will be presented at the January 21, 2002 meeting.
VI. **Other New Business:** None

VII. **Correspondence.** Mail was checked, but nothing that required any action.

*The meeting was adjourned at 7:22 PM.*

**Upcoming meetings:**
Monday, January 21, 2002 ~ 7:00 PM  
Monday, February 18, 2002 ~ 7:00 PM

Respectfully submitted,  
Chuck Mitchell, Secretary of the Night