

Mill Brook Watershed Management committee

Minutes of 2/27/23 meeting, approved 3/13/23

Present:

David Bouck, Kristen Geagan, Bill Wilcox, Prudy Burt, Tim Boland

Absent:

Cindy Mitchell, Angela Luckey, Donna Paulnock

Draft minutes of 2/13/23 meeting approved unanimously.

Members discussed points to include in our submission to town report. Mainly, this includes our work over the past year:

- Monthly macroinvertebrate sampling and multimeter measurements of water chemistry.
- Rainfall measurements
- Water quality data from SMAST
- Water flow measurements
- Water elevation and temperature data from continuous data loggers
- Thanking SMF for volunteer help by staff members Noah Froh and Liz Loucks
- Thanking landowners and supporting organizations

Prudy will send this to town administrator Jen Rand.

David asked if we would share pertinent data with Tim McCobb, US Geological Survey. Tim is working on a groundwater model for MV Commission. Members present agreed to do so.

Prudy asked if we would share our most recent pertinent data re Roth Woodlands water temperature and dissolved oxygen with writer Nelson Sigelman. Members present agreed to do so. Prudy will put Nelson in touch with David.

David and Bill will be ready to forward all of our data to consultant Neal Price within the next two weeks.

We will arrange another round of stream flow sampling the week of March 6, weather permitting.

Next meeting will be in two weeks, March 13.

Submitted by Prudy Burt