

**OPEN SPACE PRESERVATION COMMISSION
TOWN OF NEW HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT**

Monday, January 25, 2016

Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 7:15 when a quorum was present.
Present were Caren Ross, Karen Griswold Nelson, Rusty Warner and Jean Cronauer.

No minutes were available.

Motion (Ross/Griswold Nelson) to enter Executive Session to discuss real estate at 7:15 was approved unanimously.

Motion (Ross/Warner) to leave Executive Session at 8:00 was approved unanimously.

Conservation Tools: Tax Abatement

J Cronauer reported on a meeting with Bill Ducci and reviewed the history of the state enabling statute. Commission discussed benefits and plan for moving this forward.

Motion (Cronauer/Griswold/Nelson) to table discussion on Open Space Plan and Implementation Plan until the next meeting.

Other Business

Karen Griswold Nelson reported on the town plan implementation conference held in Cornwall which was discussed. Commission would like to organize a similar forum in New Hartford.

Motion to adjourn at 8:30 (Ross/Warner) was approved unanimously.

Next regularly scheduled meeting February 22, 2016

Respectfully submitted,

Jean Cronauer, Chairperson