

Middlesex Canal Commission
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Meeting Minutes
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BILLERICA

Members Present: Richard Hawes, Alec Ingraham, Shayne Reardon, Debra Fox

Guest: Andrew Jennings

Meeting opened at 3:03 P.M.

Minutes: Read and approved by Dick, seconded by Shayne, unanimous

Treasurer's Report: Discussion of uses for grant money, approved by Dick, seconded by Shayne, unanimous

Agenda

1. Lowell Street: Flowers planted in May. Marlies Henderson and prisoners will do spring clean-up in June and fix the crooked sign.
2. High Street: Clean-up by May 23rd Walk by Marlies Henderson
3. 2 Old Elm Street: Report from Dick. The heat unit and frame are in place but no heat or water yet. One more month for gas/plumbing. The bridge is still under tarps in the parking lot
4. March 17th: "Walk Around" at the dam with Fish and Game
5. Signs: Once the bridge is installed the floating towpath sign will be replaced. There is money available until June to get it installed, if not ready it will be lost. Dick thinks it will be ok by June
6. Bicycle Paths: Andrew reported on progress on the Lowell open-space plan and will be looked at March 24th – 1/3 mile near the Mount Pleasant Golf Course. In Billerica – plan from the New Rourke Bridge to the Marshall Middle School. He would like to set up a plan to do Billerica/Chelmsford/Lowell together.

The meeting closed at 4:00 P.M.

The next meeting is scheduled for 3:00 P.M. on May 14, 2025