Alstead Conservation Committee
Meeting Minutes for March 6, 2024

Present: Sarah Webb, Donna Sabin, David Moody, and Joyce Campbell-Counts

I, Minutes for February 7, 2024 accepted as read.

II, "Road Clean-up" Saturday, April 27, 2024 - Confirmed with Misty Gratacos, this event will be on the Town Calendar online. Also, confirmed with Jesse Moore, at the Transfer Station. The Town's portable electronic sign will be posted the week before - April 20. The sandwich sign on Route 123, near the library, will be set up on April 13.

III, Scholarship at Orchard Hill Community Center with outreach to Eleanor Elbers - in conversation with Eleanor, 2 scholarships for Alstead kids are requested. David Moody moved to authorize $500, to come from the Conservation Fund, for two scholarships for the Summer Farm and Forest Camp for Alstead children at the Orchard Hill Community Center. ACC members voted unanimously for this.

IV, Town Forest - Programs for 2024 are on hold. We need info from Randy Miller. We're hopeful for a May start time. We will contact Bill Blaiklock about trail activity for April and May. Also, we'll contact Peter Rhoades.

V, ACC Succession - Sarah Webb will resign as Chair in March 2025.
Hitting the big 80! Time to quit! Sarah composed a letter of resignation and will present it to the Town Office for the Select Board.

A big **THANK YOU** to Donna Sabin for her 10-plus years of serving on the Alstead Conservation Commission!

Adjourned at 04:15 pm.

ACC meetings are the first Wednesday of each month at 3 pm in the Town Office. Sarah Webb, Chairperson, can be reached at this phone number: 603.835.2890

Next meeting is April 3, 2024.
Submitted by Joyce Campbell-Counts