

CAC 05/05/2026 Meeting

In Attendance: Sharon Stuart, Pamela Zylinski, Mitch Tucker, Caitlin Tucker, Jay Jackson, Joel Wind

Absent: Councilman Martin

1) Call meeting to order by Dr. Tucker

- a. Meeting called to order at 7:05 pm

2) Comments from the floor

- a.

3) APPROVE: Draft minutes from April meeting

- a. Awaiting draft March Minutes from Margaret Derk for approval by CAC
- b. April minutes approved with correction of Ms. Zylinski name under Item 10. Ms. Zylinski motioned to approve. Mr. Wind seconded. All approve.

4) Liaison from Town Board (Councilwoman Martin)

- a. Councilwoman Martin not in attendance
- b. No updates shared

5) Financial Report

- a. Reimbursements have been submitted for Hemlock Woolly Adelgid Workshop, Bluebird House Workshop reimbursements.
- b. Awaiting receipts for fishing line recycling stations
- c. Discussion on opportunities to use remaining budget for L.E.A.F. vendors.

6) Correspondence

- a. Arbor Day, Electrical Hazard Awareness Workshop correspondence.
- b. Message from Landon Muraco inquiry about community service for Town Pond clean-up

7) 2026 Programming

- a. **Bluebird House Workshop Debrief** was a success! 26 community members attended presentations by Angela Baron with the New York Bluebird Society on Bluebird conservation and nestbox maintenance and hands on construction of nest boxes.
- b. **5/2 Pond Clean Up Debrief + Youth Fishing Derby**

- i. Ponds have been stocked twice due to anticipated 80% mortality rate from cold winter and spring. Currently stocked with 125 rainbow trout. Trophy fish were not available.
- ii. Discussion on preparing for the fishing derby on Saturday, May 9th.
- iii. Ms. Tucker motions to approve \$600 for Fishing Derby food, drinks, and supplies. Ms. Zylinski seconded. All Approved.

c. LEAF – Saturday September 12

- i. Discussion of paid vendors for LEAF. Requests out to Buffalo Zoomobile (~\$339.20 in 2025), Penn Dixie (\$518.71 for the duration of the event), Blossoms and Buns (\$400 for all animals 11-2pm) as paid vendors.
- ii. Ms. Zylinski makes a motion to approve \$2,000 for paid vendors for LEAF. Ms. Stuart seconded. All approved.
- iii. Determine by June CAC meeting the need for a food truck for LEAF.

8) New Business

- a. None.

9) Old Business

- a. Revisited plans for pond vegetation maintenance and whether an aerator or grass carp are the best solution for the ponds. Dr. Tucker has received new permits from the DEC to stock ponds and will have a conversation with Parks Department on how to proceed.

10) Adjournment by Motion

Ms. Wind motioned to adjourn at 8:45 pm. Ms. Stuart seconded. All approved.

Next Meeting: CAC Summer Break in June. Next Meeting on July 7th, 2026.