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**THE RANDOLPH FOREST COMMISSION**

**July 3, 2013**

**Members Present:** John Scarinza, Jeff Parker, Walter Graff and Doug Mayer

**Others Present:** David Willcox

The chairman opened the meeting at 7:05 pm. The minutes of the June meeting not having been circulated, it was agreed to approve them at the next meeting. The next meeting will be in September. The Commission does not ordinarily meet in August, when the annual Forest Day is held.

John circulated several invoices which needed signing.

The Commission then briefly discussed, and approved, a notice which is to be placed at the site of the crystal mine warning visitors that the area has been declared a natural area, for purposes of a State law which provides punishment for vandalism. It was noted that the Presidential gem and Mineral Society will lead a visit to the mine on July 27<sup>th</sup>, leaving from the Bowman trailhead at 9:30 am. All are welcome.

The Commission also discussed, and approved, a draft of an introduction to the Second Stewardship Plan, which would announce the creation of the web site and point out that the essential documents underlying the creation of the Community Forest can now be found on the web site and will not be attached as appendices to the Plan.

There being no other business, the meeting was closed by general consent at 7:35 pm.

Respectfully submitted

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Acting secretary

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