

**York Conservation Commission – January 2022 Meeting  
1/12/2022**

Members in Attendance – Stephanie Byrne, Mary Dopart, Alan McDonald, James Kences

Meeting minutes – Minutes for the December meeting were approved and will be posted.

Resignation – Laura Brogan has resigned from the Commission, citing time constraints. The Commission thanks Laura for her years of service. The Commission is seeking candidates for both regular and alternate members.

Ongoing projects – The Commission has been notified that a new town employee, in the Planning Department, will be tasked with assisting with Lake Carolyn improvements and with town conservation easements.

York Comprehensive Plan – The Steering Committee is working on developing strategies for each of approx. 20 goals, to be completed by mid-February. Conservation and climate action are prominent goals. The Plan is expected to be on the November ballot.

Archeological exploration – James Kences described the work he is doing in connection to the archeological work at the Davis property in York. James is documenting the findings and working to help town residents understand the importance of this and other similar work to the town's history.

February meeting – The meeting will be moved to Tuesday, Feb. 8, to avoid a conflict.