Glastonbury Landowners, Inc. Road Management and Road & Weed Committee Meeting Minutes <u>FINAL</u> June 21, 2016, 7:00 PM @ Liberty Hall

Present:

Road Management and Road & Weed Committee Co-Chairs: Dennis R, Ed D. and Paul R.

Road & Weed Committee members: Newman B, Charlene M,

Landowners Present: Joe T, Ia W, Claudette D, Walter & Regina W, Donna A, Sally M.

Meeting called to order 7:07 pm

Agenda:

1. Discuss present and future pavement maintenance in NG

Discussion included: hiring a road engineer to give advice on NG pavement maintenance, asking David T, a road engineer and GLA landowner, to look at the paved and gravel roads in NG and give his advice.

2. Discuss Spring Grading progress

<u>Discussion included</u>: Walter suggests putting down less gravel on lower Hercules, except between Dennis' driveway down to the curve and using a mini excavator to remove boulders that can damage the snow plow. Walter reported that Dennis R, Walter W and David T will meet on Friday, June 24 and assess Hercules Rd and other High South Roads.

Dennis reminded the committee that we can't micromanage a road contractor, can't tell what equipment to use, or appear to be supervising because the labor laws consider this to be managing an employee not a contractor.

<u>New Topic</u>: Landowners did more research and now feel that 15% vinegar for weed spraying is very strong and kills grasses and broad leaf plants, it can sterilize the soil, is dangerous to apply, and can cause blindness if it contacts eyes during application.

Action Item: Board to vote on weed management at July 11 BOD meeting.

3. Discuss signs and snow fence

Snow poles have arrived. Time to order snow fence and buy more sand.

4. Discuss snow plow truck

<u>Discussion:</u> Time to look at buying a second plow truck.

Action Item: Ask board to vote to look into buying a second snow plow truck with a spending cap of \$25,000.

Meeting Adjourned 8:50 pm