

Agenda
Burke Conservation Commission
Wednesday, April 15, 2026 at 6 pm
Burke Town Hall

1. Welcome: Present Hank Butler (Treasurer), Kristen Langlais, Curt Busto, Lindley van der Linde (Secretary), Diane Wells (Chair).
2. Approve March Minutes: **Minutes Approved.**
3. VT Fish & Wildlife Conservation Camp Sponsorship: BTS connected and matched 3 students with scholarships with the help of home to school coordinator.
4. AVCC Tiny Grant- Lindley sent a proposal in. We will hear back in May. The project idea revolves around community projects in line with the BCC mission to be completed by middle school students at Burke Town School.
5. Treasurer's Report-So far spent \$145. AVCC membership and some Willey Woods materials.
6. Willey Woods Grant \$\$- LSR grant funds were pulled and we did not get the FPR Recreational Trail Grant. We need a wetland permit for Roundy Brook trailwork. State Wetland Ecologist coming soon. We are working on the permit application.
7. Woodcock Walk with VTFW Biologist: Monday April 27, 7pm
8. Green Up Work Day at Willey Woods: Saturday, May 2 (9 am to 1 pm). Chris Manges will help put Green Up Day signs up. The town has bags available at the Town Hall. Kristen will help advertise.
9. Willey Woods Northern Forest/Vernal Pool/Climate Resilience Workshop: Sunday, May 17 12pm-4pm. Targeted to other Town Forest Committees. Kevin Toland, VT Center for Ecostudies Ecologist and Climate Resilience with Matt Langlais, County Forester.
10. Willey Woods Bird Walk with Kevin Mack: Saturday, May 30 (6 am)
11. Watershed Educational Talks Modeled after Hardwick "Ripple Effect: Watershed Forum". Start planning a Fall Series.
12. Vermont's Act 181 General discussion about the Act and current controversies.
13. Next BCC Meeting: Wednesday, May 20, 2026
14. Other Business- Diane went to a recent Selectboard Meeting to move forward on installing a culvert between Newark St and the Newell Property for a vehicle pulloff. Don meeting with Dave to discuss soon.
15. Adjourn 7:20pm

Join Zoom Meeting