# Planning Board Meeting 12/22/16

Meeting opened at 7:00 p.m.

Attendance: Norman Blake, Josiah Pierce, Nichol Ernst, David Strock and Matthew Fricker The CEO and Selectman Robert Flint were also present.

The minutes of the prior meeting, which had been distributed to the members electronically prior to the meeting, were accepted without discussion.

Item One: Scott Efron

Scott Efron had stated that he would be in attendance for the 12/22/16 meeting. He did not show up for the meeting. Two individuals, Craig and Judy Sneider, were present who stated that they were friends of Mr. Efron, could relay messages to Mr. Efron, but not speak on his behalf.

Norman stated that the previously submitted CUP application was not complete in that it needed to have a scaled diagram setting forth the intended conditional use for the property. The diagram has to show, to scale, what Mr. Efron intends to do with the property.

Norman also stated that he understood there currently were a few unresolved issues regarding Mr. Efron's property based on Norman's viewing of a Facebook or website site that appeared to be created by Mr. Efron, [For reference, the website is <u>http://www.natureswildernessresort.com/home.html</u> and the Facebook page is <u>https://www.facebook.com/natureswildernessresort</u>, copies of the pages as of 12.23.16 are attached for reference].

Norman noted that on 11/30/16 the website showed two new buildings on the property. The CEO said that one was a "facilities" building and the other was a cabin. Norman stated that on 12/10/16 the website showed a picture of a building foundation with an artist's rendering of a public building. [Note: This picture is not currently available]. Norman stated that it looks like Mr. Efron has started to build a campground, but there is no CUP application currently pending. Mr. Efron needs to come in here and submit a proper application to run a campground.

The CEO indicated that he recently had mailed two letters to Mr. Efron regarding certain violations.

David asked why we were discussing Mr. Efron's situation if he was not present. Norman said this was the only item on the agenda, so if the Board did not want to discuss it, we should adjourn.

A motion to adjourn was made, seconded and the meeting ended at 7:14 p.m.





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Business Management. He then went into real estate, investments, and development. And later sold his real estate offices to a large real estate company. He is now fulfilling his lifelong dream of owning a resort style campground for everyone to enjoy. Scott, is our CEO at Natures Wilderness Resort.

Scott is an honored US Marine Corps veteran and a US Coastguard Captain, who graduated from Curry College with a Bachelor Degree in

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Karen hails from the Caribbean but has









been living in the US for over twenty years. She graduated with Honors from McMaster University in Hamilton, Canada. She has experience in computer startups and technology industry. Loves nature, traveling and meeting people from different cultures. Contact - karen@natureswilderness.com

Dale is the construction supervisor and site coordinator at Natures Wilderness Resort Campground. He is a Mainer who grew up nearby and knows the people, history and nature first hand. He is an accomplished fisherman and expert sharp shooter. He is proud to be a grand-father, father and fatherin-law and spends time outdoors as much as he can part-taking in snow-mobiling in the winter months and quadding in the spring, fall and summer months.

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Josh is a native Mainer. He owns a fishing charter company called Rusty Hook Outfitters. He is a certified Wildlife Maine Guide and will be happy to show you the Land and Ponds around Nature's Wilderness Resort. You can rest assured that you will be in good hands with his leadership and knowledge of the animals, nature and environment offered to you on your next adventure at Nature's Wilderness Resort.

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John grew up in Brainerd, Minnesota where his family had guest cabins. He has 3 children Tommy, Dominic, and Brooke with his beautiful wife. He went into real estate and is a top seller. He enjoys camping as well as other outdoor activities and spending time with his children when not selling real estate. Let John be your outdoor guide at Nature's Wilderness Cabins.

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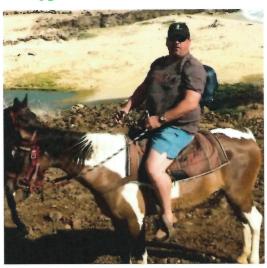
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Adam is a life time resident of Baldwin. He is an avid fisherman and sportsman. He is also a devoted father of two.







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THORNCRAG NATURE SANCTUARY - 1 hour. This 372 acre sanctuary is home to may bird species. More information at: http://stantonbirdclub.org /thorncrag-sanctuary/



ANTIQUE SHOPPING - 10 minutes. Avid collector? Venture to the Town of Cornish. More at: http://antiquestores.find-nearme.info/in/cornish-me



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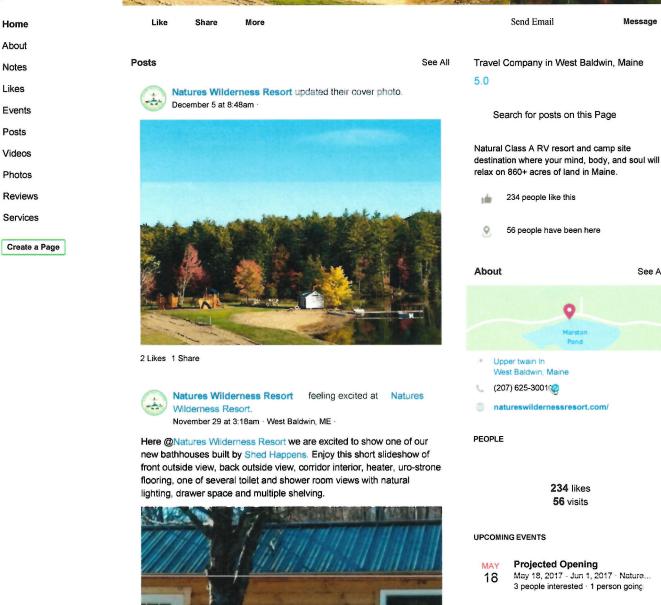
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## Horse and sleigh, Baldwin, ca. 1915

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