

**Minutes for CTNWCO meeting Wednesday December 14, 2005 7:00 p.m. at The Colony in Vernon CT prepared by Carol Huot**

Attendance:

<b>Alan Huot</b>	<b>Rich Daniotti</b>	<b>Charlie Robinson</b>
<b>Brian Mongeau</b>	<b>Bill Saganich</b>	<b>Yvonne O'Brien</b>
<b>Eric Lavery</b>	<b>Mark Rudevicz</b>	<b>Mark Jones</b>
<b>Keith Ferry</b>	<b>Tom Logan</b>	<b>Will Lagiadice</b>
<b>Paul Lavery</b>	<b>Dave Logan</b>	<b>Erik Shaffer</b>

Meeting called to order by Rich Daniotti:

**Elections:**

Elections held below are the results

President - Unanimous - Mark Jones  
Vice President - Unanimous - Tom Logan  
Treasurer - Unanimous - Brian Mongeau  
Secretary – Vacant

**March 2006 N.E. NWCO Seminar:**

Mark Jones & Tom Logan continue to coordinate speakers for the seminar on March 25.  
New topics/speaker discussed due to loss of 2 planned speakers.

Sessions:

Potential – Integrated Canada Goose Mgmt.  
Potential - CT Biologist Jenny Dickson – Bats  
Confirmed – Eric Shaffer – Creating a Professional Image  
Potential - USDA from NY – Richard Chipman agreed to attend.  
Potential – Linda Kulikowski – Snakes Bill Walden confirmed that Linda would attend.  
**(Did anyone contact her with date to lock her in?????)**  
Potential – Bob Noonan – Fishers  
Potential – Tim Christie – working around electricity  
Potential – Jim Pace – NWCOA Insurance program  
Potential – Tom Reilly – Fall Protection (morning slot)  
Potentials - Need to follow-up to confirm attendance.  
Need to confirm M/C – Bob Noonan

Vendors:

WCO Radio  
WCS

Mark Jones to work with Devine Services to create a PDF for the Website that people can use to apply for the seminar.

**Goose Control discussions with DEP Status:**

Video should have been sent by Tim Julien.

**NWCO Training course:**

Tom Logan has been working on improving the section on Euthanasia. All text is in PowerPoint, he will work to coordinate with the video. Goal is to have available for 1/28/06 session.

Mark Jones has all of the slides for all sections. Squirrels & Raccoon have been transferred to digital format. Working to complete the remainder to allow for creation of an electronic document for presentation.

**Instructors scheduled for Training:**

1/28/05 – Alan Huot, Rich Daniotti, Mark Jones

5/20/06 – Mark Jones, Brian Mongeau, Keith Ferry

9/29/06 – Tom Logan, Keith Ferry, Mark Jones

**Open Discussion:**

Meeting dates set for 2006 - January 10, March 14, May 10, July 12, Sept 13 and Dec 13

Website – Mark Jones working on adding content to [www.CTNWCOA.com](http://www.CTNWCOA.com). He will start a “Health News” sections sharing health topics affecting NWCO’s.

Additional items for site will include: Seminar application, Patches & Decals for Sale

Chimney Sweeps advertising Animal control when not licensed issued raised

Motion made 2<sup>nd</sup> and unanimously passed to donate \$1,000 to WOAF (Wildlife Operators Assistant Fund) when they get their tax id and 501C charity designation.

Donated 2-MP3 players to the Holiday Grab Bag by WCO Radio

State DEP finally has added list of NWCO’s in state to their Website.

Special Permits: Tom Logan has contacted his Senator to discuss DEP Policy and issues as it relates to policy conflict with support of NWCO businesses.

**Treasurers Report:**

Brian Mongeau provided updated financial report.

CTNWCO Assoc. donated \$300.00 to Gary Storm’s family

Rich Daniotti recommended getting an accountant to review association bookkeeping practices.

**Meeting adjourned**