

**Hoppers Birge Pond Nature Preserve Committee Agenda March 14, 2019**  
**Executive Meeting Room 7:15PM \*\*\*PLEASE NOTE NEW START TIME\*\*\***  
**111 North Main Street Bristol, CT**

**Public Participation:**

**2019 Committee Reorganization** – 1. Review of 2019 meeting schedule. 2. Attendance as needed at other board meetings. 3. Coverage for Park Board & Budget Meetings as needed, TBD, 4. Committee positions/new members 5. Correcting Map Supply/former public access way. 6. Any other duties deemed necessary by The Committee.

**2019 Capital Improvements – (submitted to Park Board in 2015 ) REF:**  
**Hoppers 10 Year Capital Improvement Plan 8/10/17**

1.) Gravel pathway/trail stabilization on East Birge Pond Trail and installation of a professionally engineered - constructed boardwalk on West Birge Pond Trail. Committee will need to generate formal proposal to Park Board outlining specific areas for erosion control on East Birge Pond Trail & areas within the Hoppers. Discussion regarding status of state trails grant.

**Update long-term project list for Hoppers-Birge Pond:**

Revision of long-range plan. Suggestions for creating new list of recommendations to Park Dept. in 2019.

**Review and revision of current and future Eagle Scout projects.**

**Main Street grants program: Review of committee application for grant.**

**2019 EVENT PLANNING:**

Annual Fall Foliage Hike -Theme?? Turtle presentation April 25<sup>th</sup> to be held at Page Park.

Any other business from Committee Members.

John Schissler, Chairman,  
Hoppers Birge Pond Nature Preserve Committee