

TOWN OF ACTON
LAND STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE (LSC) AGENDA
Tuesday, February 20, 2024, 7 pm, Hybrid (Zoom or Town Hall Room 126)

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(Discussion time limits for agenda items are in parentheses. If no limit shown, discussion should be \leq 5 min.)

1. Review & acceptance of November 21, December 19, and January 16 Minutes
2. Concerns from the public
3. Chainsaw Training in March — Ian
4. ABRHS Senior Community Service Day
5. Invasive plants, February 2024 — John
6. Ian’s Trails Tales, February 2024: Stoneymeade
7. Status of MCI farming parcels — Mike
8. LSC parcel issues, including Camp Acton access road (CPA) and memorial bench, Jenks culvert (CPA), Heath Hen Meadow Rainbow Trail
9. Updates
 - A. LSC membership; who’s on the shell
 - B. Pending pubs (2023 Town Report, OSRP, 549 Main St and Morrison Farm CRs)
 - C. Bridges, Board/Bogwalks, Maps, Mowing, Shed, Website
10. Next month’s (03/19/24) agenda
11. Evaluate meeting.

Upcoming Events:

02/24/24 2 pm, “Backyard Invasives ID and Removal”, Middlesex Conservation District, Jane Maloney, Maynard Public Library, register via SVT.

02/27/24 • 11 am, “Invasive Species & Climate Change (zoom) Symposium”, Northeast Regional Invasive Species & Climate Change (RISCC) Management Network; continued on 02/28.
• 7-8:30 pm, Nature by the Yard, Mass Audubon online, free.
• 7:30 pm, Community Preservation Comm deliberates 2025 CPA project funding.
• Project Proposal submission deadline for ABRHS Senior Community Service Day.
• ACT Board Meeting, check w/Susan or Jody for time and place.

02/28/24 2 pm, Metrowest Conservation Alliance (MCA) Land Protection Workshop, Pompositticut Community Center, Stow.

03/02/24 Massachusetts Association of Conservation Commissions (MACC) Annual Environmental Conference, College of the Holy Cross.

03/07/24 6:30 pm, Managing for Biodiversity, zoom, Heidi Dollard, Mass Pollinator Network
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03/13/24 8 am-3 pm, “Hazard & Danger Cutting with Storm Cleanup” Chainsaw Training, see agenda item above.

03/17/24 1 pm, ACT Annual Meeting, “Snakes of New England and the World — Live Animal Presentation”, Town Hall Room 204.

04/08/24 2:15-4:39 pm, ~93% (Acton) total eclipse of the sun (100% total in 05/01/2079).

04/26/24 9 am-12:30 pm, ABRHS Senior Community Service Day, see agenda item above.

Check Out:

“Events of Interest” on the ACT website: <https://actonconservationtrust.org>

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