**BETHLEHEM CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

**January 16, 2025 5 p.m.**

**Bethlehem Public Library Meeting Room**

**REVISED AGENDA**

1) Minutes to Approve

December 19, 2024

2) Treasurer’s Report

3) Annual Report: Reviewing the last paragraph only

4) Lighting Ordinances: Developing a communications plan and who can do what.

Mailer, letters to the editor, opinion piece for Courier and Caledonian-Record, meetings, other?

5) Purpose of the Town Forest discussion

6) ACT land purchase: Status of a letter; discussion about a contribution

7) Other/New Business

**Next Meetings:** February??? and beyond

**MAILBAG DEC 2024 – JAN 2025**

**December 20,** **Biden plan would encourage AI data centers on federal lands**, article from the Washington Post. Biden plan would encourage AI data centers on federal lands. Worries the U.S. will lose the AI arms race fuels an eleventh-hour Biden administration effort to allow massive data centers and power plants on public land. **(Not sure you can access it.)** By Evan Halper: <https://wapo.st/4gqvudA>

**January 2, Taking Action for Wildlife.** Register for 4 webinars on wildlife.

## **January 6, Compliant Notice of Appeal - Bcc'd to All** from Nicole. The Dalton CC is appealing the final approval by DES of the **shoreland impact permit 2024-0766**

**January 6, Notice of Change to RSA 482,** from NHACC: Wetlands applications can now be sent electronically.