

BY-LAWS:
MANAGEMENT OF FOSTER'S POND NATURAL AREA:

SECTION I : PURPOSE:

In order to promote the passive recreational use and to manage for conservation and recreation purposes the Foster's Pond Natural Area, which is that portion of lot 1-C-2500 to the north of the railroad bed located off Nashua Road and owned by the Town of Windham, the Windham Town Meeting adopts the following use regulations for the area pursuant to the authority granted to the Town by RSA 31:39.

SECTION II : PROHIBITED USES:

- A) Hunting and/or discharge of firearms within the Foster's Pond Natural Area is strictly prohibited. The area will be posted against these activities pursuant to RSA 635:4.
- B) The use of motorized vehicles and outboard motors on boats is prohibited within the Foster's Pond Natural Area subject to the following exceptions:
 - 1. Upon authorization of the Selectmen and the Conservation Commission, motorized vehicles may be permitted within the Foster's Pond Natural Area for any maintenance or construction work needed to implement the management plans for the area.
 - 2. Law enforcement vehicles/emergency vehicles may be permitted within the Foster's Pond Natural Area at any time.
- C) Littering, disposal of garbage, trash or motor vehicles within the Foster's Pond Natural Area is prohibited.
- D) Cutting of trees and/or shrubs is prohibited within the Foster's Pond Natural Area except as authorized by the Conservation Commission.

SECTION III : VIOLATIONS:

Violations of this by-law shall be punishable by assessment of the following fines:

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| A) Hunting/discharge of firearms: | \$100.00 |
| B) Unauthorized use of motor vehicles: | 50.00 |
| C) Littering as described in Section II, C: | 100.00 |
| D) Unauthorized cutting of trees/shrubs: | 100.00 |

SECTION IV : DISPOSITION OF FINES:

All fines shall be payable to the Windham Police Department and shall be turned over to the Town Treasurer through deposit into the Town's General Fund.

SECTION V : ENFORCEMENT:

This ordinance shall be enforced by the Windham Police Department.

SECTION VI : VALIDITY:

If any section, clause, provision, portion or phrase of this chapter shall be held to be invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent authority, such holding shall not affect, impair or invalidate any other section, clause, provision, portion or phrase of this chapter.

Adopted at Town Meeting - March 12, 1988

Re-codified and affirmed by the Board of Selectmen - May 11, 1998

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