

May 7, 2009

Dear Neighbor,

At long last, your property now borders preserved lands! A special thanks to the Goodman family for working with the Town toward the preservation of 26 acres in our community and your back yards. On February 27th of this year, the Town acquired the Goodman property with Community Preservation Funds which is designed to preserve and manage land in our Town for the benefit of our community.

After walking the property recently, I noticed a good deal of trash and debris on the site, and so we are organizing a community clean up on June 13th (rain date June 20th) at 10:00 a.m. There are a number of entrances to the site, and therefore we will start in the middle near the bicycle jump circled on your aerial photo which is enclosed. Your help and your thoughts regarding the usage of the property and its trails would be greatly appreciated. During our clean up, we would like to hear from you regarding the existing trail uses, and possible redirection/relocation and or closure of some trails.

Department members Andy Gaites, Scott Wilson and I will bring our enthusiasm and garbage bags to collect the debris. Please bring your gloves if you have them. This mailing was only sent to the properties that adjoin the Goodman property, so please pass this on to your friends and neighbors, or anyone else that you think would like to pitch in. If you have any questions please don't hesitate to call or email me, the number is above, and my email address is at the bottom under my name. Looking forward to seeing you on the 13th, and thank you in advance for your help.

Sincerely,

Douglas Massa
Land Steward



1" = 246.51 feet



**THE TOWN
OF
EAST HAMPTON
GOODMAN
SCTM#80-5-4.9
26 ACRES**

**COMMUNITY
CLEANUP DAY**

**JUNE 13, 2009
10AM**

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January 29, 2010

Dear Neighbor,

I just want to extend a hearty thank you to all who turned out for our annual clean up day at the Goodman property! Although the number of folks that came to help was not large, the end result was a great success. Our small but stout group managed to gather over thirteen hundred pounds of assorted treasures from the property! The items included a lovely old riding mower (circa 1980), five rusty bicycles, cinder blocks, and enough bottles and cans to start our own recycling center!

The Land Acquisition and Management Department will soon meet with the Trails Preservation Society to come up with ideas for the trails and management of this wonderful property. I will keep you posted on any progress we make regarding those tasks.

Next year's clean up will probably be done at an earlier date so as not to interfere with our friends the ticks! I am hoping that you all checked yourselves thoroughly after our jaunt in the woods. It will also be easier to spot debris before the lowbush blueberry begins its spring push.

One favor I ask is that you talk to your neighbors and their children about our work so they too can be proud stewards of a special place that belongs to all members of the community. Great job and thanks again!

Sincerely,

Doug Massa
Land Steward