***Instructions for Completing RGT-held CR Monitoring***

*(Note: you can erase these directions/delete this page before you submit the report.)*

*a. Please save this form with the name of the property and the year - for example: Schuyler Monitoring Report 2014. (If you don't save with property and year, it will be hard to sort out all the Monitoring Reports later)*

*b. Fill out #1 and #2 (recommendations from last year's monitoring)**WHEN YOU ARE PLANNING the trip.*

*c. Carry with you a copy of the monitoring map and photos.*

*d. Please add a monitoring map (and any necessary annotated photos) at the end of the report.*

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**1. Property Name:** **Cheyette Conservation Restriction** **Year:** **2015**

**Property Information**

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| Owner(s) | Mailing Address |
| Frederic Cheyette | 119 Shutesbury Road |
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| Was owner invited to join the monitoring : | Yes  No  If no, why not? not available |
| If invited, approximate date of the invitation: | told of monitoring previous week by email |

**2. Date of Monitoring:** **April 12, 2015**

**Recommendations from last year's monitoring:**

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| Repaint the lines, use color other than red since the neighboring Adams property uses red. |

**3. Monitors:**

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| Joan Godsey, Sheila Seaman, Mary Alice Wilson |

**4. Describe the monitoring route briefly (also draw on map):**

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| Started on Shutesbury Road at map pin "A" and went around clockwise.  As recommended, we repainted the line, using orange this time. As before, the southern stone wall, the northern line along the stream, and the line along the highway were not painted - not necessary. |

**5. Action Items requiring attention:**

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| None observed |

**6. List any problems with monitoring map or photos:**

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| This year all properties have a new set of photos. New photos needed to be taken of A (see attached photo file. Map was changed to use the 2014 aerial photos provided by MassGIS and to include the slightly confusing iron pipe marking the Gordon King/Cheyette corner. Copies of the Dorothy King survey (which is clear) and the assessors' map (which is incorrect) are attached. The Cheyette deed (Book 2059, p 217) grants the Gordon King property road access. |

**7. Describe alterations. Draw on map, take photos.**

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| Natural | Human Made |
| None Observed: | None Observed: |

**8. Interactions with the landowner(s) in the last year:**

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| Brief dicsussions. |

**9. Describe any changes in use being planned (ownership? land use? trails?):**

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| None known |

**10. Recommendations for next year:**

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| If spring, wear boots. Enjoy this lovely property. |

Signed:       Date Signed:

Still to do:

Ask to present this report at the next RGT Board Meeting

Print out and sign 3 copies:

1. Put one in the Green Field Notebook

2. Give one to the person who puts the reports in the Blue Archive Notebook at the Leverett Family Museum.

3. Mail (or give) a copy to the land owner(s)

Send an electronic copy of this report to the person who puts it on the Board-only section of the RGT website.