

LAND Conservancy of Ridgefield, Inc.

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Dear Neighbor,

The Land Conservancy of Ridgefield is pleased to have you as our neighbor. Your property is contiguous to one of the 92 properties we own

Although our properties may appear to be vacant, they are to be maintained in their natural state in perpetuity. Our board, through our stewardship program, visits these properties periodically. You may see our directors walking over these properties and posting new signs to identify our land.

The Land Conservancy of Ridgefield, Inc. was established in 1967 as a private not-for-profit organization that is separate and distinct from the Ridgefield Conservation Commission which looks after town owned open space properties. The Land Conservancy currently owns over 510 acres and holds another 140 acres in conservation easements throughout Ridgefield. These lands were donated and conservation easements were granted by very generous Ridgefield land owners.

We believe in being good neighbors and want to work with adjacent property owners to keep our properties in their natural state. Please contact us through our mailing address whenever there is an issue you would like to bring to our attention.

A copy of our new Good Neighbor program is attached. Please take the time to read it and, if appropriate, share it with your landscape workers. Recent legislation, with significant penalties for encroachment on conservation lands, makes it especially important that you speak with anyone working on your property.



We thank you for your interest in helping with our efforts to protect and maintain our properties in Ridgefield. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact us.

Sincerely,

Board of Land Conservancy of Ridgefield

By its President

Joan Corley

