

Tim Angevine- A Man for All Seasons



In Tim Angevine, the Warren Land Trust is fortunate to have a board member with all the credentials to be a vital force in perpetuating our land conservation mission. A graduate of the University of Maine with a double major in Geology and Geography, Tim has become an integral contributor to our stewardship committee dealing with the wise management of fee properties and easements. With his background in surveying, managing his family's large farm, and overseeing an extensive pumpkin crop and thousands of Christmas trees, Tim brings a wealth of experience in wise use of the land to our Board.

In an interview, Tim offered many salient points about the Land Trust's mission. He pointed out that we can be an important voice in terms of Warren's development, and can help enable the town to make informed land use decisions. Tim remarked that "we have had the opportunity in Warren to grow responsibly while learning from surrounding towns' experiences." He also noted that the northwest corner of Connecticut has had the benefit of modest growth during the past thirty years, a pace that has allowed for balanced development.

Together with his wife Carla, Tim helps support a family farm that stresses planning and land conservation. He observed, "With the threat of family farms phasing out, we need to offer farmers an alternative to simply selling their land." Tim has been instrumental in helping the Land Trust remain mindful of such big-picture land-use issues. To this end, Tim has been a supporter of the Connecticut Farmland Trust. He also serves as the Warren Land Trust's liaison with the Lake Waramaug Task Force, with whom we share mutual interests. In short, Tim Angevine is an ideal advocate for the preservation of the environment and open spaces—a man for all seasons!