Greensboro landowners donated two new conservation easements to the Greensboro Land Trust in 2011. Mark and Mary McGrath gave an easement on 127 acres along Town Highway 8, bordering 320 acres which they conserved in 2004. These easements conserve a large block of land in the town’s geographic center, adjoining the Barr Hill Preserve.

Hugh Scott owns most of the forest on the north side of Breezy Avenue, beginning at the 4-corners ballfield and extending to Caspian Lake. Hugh’s conservation of 28 acres of this land has contributed significantly to preserving the village’s rural character.

The GLT now holds 16 easements, covering 1,100 acres. All easements are monitored annually in the fall.

Our annual meeting in July 2012, featuring New Hampshire black bear expert Ben Kilham, attracted over 80 residents.

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