



Town of Burlington

INLAND WETLANDS AND WATERCOURSES COMMISSION

Minutes of Regularly Scheduled Meeting of Wednesday, December 16, 2009

APPROVED: _____ January 6, 2009
Secretary

I. Administrative

- 1.1 Quorum was recognized and Arnie DePascale opened the meeting at 7:30 pm. In attendance were Arnie DePascale, Dick Alden, Rob Wilson sat for Hamlet Montero, Dominick Lucenti sat for Rob Caiaze, Rolf Dietrichson and Tom Zabel. Linda Kobylarz arrived at 7:35pm.
Karl Nilsen, ZEO/IWWC Agent. Allison Yudelson, Clerk.
The entire proceedings were recorded on audio tape and are available in the Town Hall.
- 1.2 A motion by Alden, second Lucenti to approve the minutes from the December 2, 2009 regular meeting. ALL IN FAVOR.
- 1.3 Review General Communications
 - a. 2010-2011 Budget letter from First Selectman.
 - b. Letter dated December 11, 2009 from CT DEP regarding IWWC regulations.
 - c. PZC minutes from November 12, 2009 meeting.
- 1.4 Permit Transfers - none
- 1.5 Open/Citizen Comment-None

II. Old Business

- 2.1 Enforcement/Concerns-Show Cause Hearing-101 Vineyard Road-Peter Zurles not present. Karl Nilsen to follow up on declaratory ruling.
- 2.2 Enforcement/Concerns-Show Cause Hearing-15 Turner Lane-Mark Brault present. Application for permit will be submitted 1/5/2010.
- 2.3 Enforcement/Concerns-Show Cause Hearing-68 Case Road-Michauds present. Application for permit submitted. Commission agreed with Karl Nilsen that this case would be treated as an enforcement action. Commission requested that the clean up work be completed in 6 to 8 weeks. Karl will inspect every couple weeks and report the progress back to the Commission.

III. New Business



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- 3.1 Enforcement/Concerns-80 Spielman Hwy-Karl reported that the work is in compliance and erosion control measures are in place..
- 3.2 **Application 2009-016**-submitted by the Town of Burlington for the purpose of converting an abandoned highway and railroad beds to a paved pedestrian trail between the existing River Trail Parking lot to the Farmington line. Public hearing set for January 6, 2010.
- 3.3 **Application 2009-017**-submitted by Conwood Foresters Inc for proposed commercial timber harvest to remove/salvage timber damaged by a forest fire on property located northwest of Old Marsh Pond and East Plymouth Road. Applicant not present. Clerk to send letter requesting they attend the next meeting on January 6, 2010. Motion Zabel, second Alden to request applicant or representative come before the Commission on January 6, 2010 to give overview of proposed activity. ALL IN FAVOR.
- 3.4 **Application 2009-018**-submitted by Mort Dunning for the purpose of clearing on acre of trees on property known as 444 Spielman Highway. Applicant not present. Clerk to send letter requesting they attend the next meeting on January 6, 2010. Motion Zabel, second Alden, to request applicant or representative come before the Commission on January 6, 2010 to give overview of activity. ALL IN FAVOR.
- 3.5 **Application 2009-019**-submitted by James Grappone for proposed filling a portion of lot for purpose of septic repair on property known as 106 Barnes Hill Road. Applicant present and addressed the Commission with an overview of the proposed activity. BBHD approval needed before Commission will determine significance. Motion Lucenti, second Kobylarz to continue to the next regular meeting. ALL IN FAVOR.

IV Public Hearing-none

V. Review IWWC Regulations-Public hearing scheduled for January 20, 2010 regular meeting.

VI. Adjourn Motion by Alden, second Dietrichson to adjourn at 8:30pm. ALL IN FAVOR. **Meeting adjourned.**

Respectfully Submitted for the Commission,

Allison Yudelson
Secretary, IWWC