

#### INLAND WETLANDS AND WATERCOURSES COMMISSION

Minutes of Regular Meeting of Wednesday, April 27, 2016

# I. <u>Administrative</u>

1.1 Quorum was recognized and Arnie DePascale, Chair opened the meeting at 7:07 pm. In attendance were Arnie DePascale, Linda Kobylarz, Robert Wilson, Jonathon Schwartz, Rolf Dietrichson, Barbara Dahle, John Turnier, Dominick Lucenti, Richard Miller for Richard Alden. Beverly Jackson, Recording Clerk.

The meeting was recorded in its entirety and is available in the Town Hall.

- 1.2 MOTION Lucenti, seconded Turnier, to approve the minutes from March 13, 2016 regular meeting as submitted; unanimously approved.
- 1.3 Review General Communications:
  - a. Email from Cheryl Byrnes dated April 27, 2016 requesting extension for 26 Strong Street and 4 Rowe CT.
  - b. Letter from Ernest L. McLaughlin Informal Complaint. 19 page
- 1.4 Agent Report(s):
  - a. Pre-Activity Review(s) None
  - b. Permit Transfers None
  - c. IWWC Agent Approval(s) None
- II. <u>Citizen Comment</u> Earnest McLaughlin spoke about Turner Lane, permit that was issued for a fire road being used as a driveway with disruption. Matter noted and to be put on next agenda giving time to collect past information including the permit from 3 years ago. Also noted that a bridge has been built outside of the permit. Rista Malanca has a meeting scheduled with Mr. McLaughlin on Friday, April 29, 2016.

# III. Old Business

- **3.2** 2016-002 Byrne Garage –Rowe Court #4 –Moved to Next Meeting, extension requested
- **3.3** 2016-003 Byrne SFD Strong Street #26 Moved to Next Meeting, extension requested

# IV. Public Hearing(s) - None

# V. <u>New Business</u> – None

- **5.1** a. Enforcement/Concerns: Turnier Lane Ernest McLaughlin
  - Discussed in Citizens Comments
  - b. Jerome Avenue property discussed new clearing area discussed as possibly being in violation.
  - c. Village Lane Possible creation of driveway which would need a permit.
- **5.2** 2016-005 Hagan New Single Family Dwelling -122 Stone Road, continued to next meeting

# VI. <u>Pending Applications</u> – None

# V. Other Business Proper to Come Before the Commission:

6.1 Pesticide - Received notification from Sharon Farmer, Lake Como Association President, for a permit application to the state, dated April 15, 2016, for controlling weeds. Discussed the flow of water and where it empties into. It is required by the state permit that the town and the neighbors be notified. A letter from the commission to the DEEP will be sent



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regarding this process and express concerns about the application of pesticides by an unlicensed individual and the direction of the water flow.

Richard Miller discussed the extermination of mosquitos in regards to the Zika virus and what is recommended by the DEEP.

#### VII. Zoning Officer Report – None

#### VIII. Staff/Commission Comments – None

**IX.** <u>Adjourn</u> - MOTION made, seconded and passed to adjourn the meeting at 8:32 PM. (Miller/Lucenti)

Respectfully Submitted for the Commission,

Beverly Jackson Secretary, IWWC