

Bridgewater Conservation and Inland Wetlands Commission
44 Main Street South, Bridgewater, Connecticut 06752
Approved Minutes of the Regular Meeting
Tuesday, January 17, 2012, 7:30 P.M.
Bridgewater Town Hall

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 7:35 p.m. by Chairman Frank Sproviero.

Roll Call and Designation of Alternates:

Present: Strother Purdy, Greg Bollard, Lori Franklin, Curtis Read, Vic Nelson, Denise Fitch, Frank Sproviero
Also present was Russ Dirienzo, wetlands Enforcement Officer
Absent: Alex McNaughton (alt.). & Bob Kelly
L. Franklin was moved up to voting member.

Minutes of the regular meeting held December 20, 2011. G. Bollard made a motion to approve the minutes of the regular meeting held on December 20, 2011. L. Franklin seconded. L. Franklin, G. Bollard, S. Purdy, C. Read, V. Nelson and F. Sproviero were in favor. D. Fitch abstained as she was not present at the last meeting.

Comments from the Public: none

Old Business: none

New Business:

1. Haber, 59 Main Street North, enlarge shed. Mr.& Mrs. Haber were present for this application. Mrs. Haber presented this application to the commission. She would like to move an existing shed and build a larger one in the same location of the existing shed. The new shed will be only 97' from the wetlands. The shed will be set on blocks and an electrical line will be run from the house to the new garage and then to the shed. It was suggested to have the enforcement officer look at the proposed location.

C. Read made a motion to approve the plan as presented to build a 12' X 20' shed, subject to review of the enforcement officer. If the enforcement officer feels there is no danger to the wetlands the permit will take effect in 15 days. G. Bollard seconded. Unanimous approval.

Enforcement: The commission discussed R. Dirienzo's report.

1. O'Dell, 436 Main Street South, oil spill. R. Dirienzo has contacted the DEEP on this matter but they have not gotten back to him. Oil leaked from an oil tank installed by the homeowner into a curtain drain and into the wetlands. F. Sproviero will write a letter to the DEEP.

2. Anderson/Garlasco, Old Town Highway, access way. C. Read recused himself. G. Bollard, F. Sproviero and R. Dirienzo made a site visit to the Old Town Highway property. Ms. Anderson had submitted a nonregulated application in November to spread 69 linear yards of stone on the access way to her property to fill in ruts. It was estimated that 475' of stone had actually been spread which far exceeded her application and came within 10' of a wetland. A permit has not been granted for a driveway and there were questions as to who actually owned the property and where the proposed driveway is supposed to go. A letter will be sent to the property owner.

3. Paparazzo's dam. R. Dirienzo reported that nothing further has been done. This matter is in the DEEP's jurisdiction. The commission asked R. Dirienzo to send them a letter stating that they need a permit to work on the dam.

Procedural Matters: none

Other Business: none

Adjourn: L. Franklin made a motion to adjourn. D. Fitch seconded. Unanimous approval at 8:55 p.m.
The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted, Lois Carreira, Land Use Coordinator