

Bridgewater Conservation and Inland Wetlands Commission
44 Main Street South, Bridgewater, Connecticut 06752
Approved Minutes of the Regular Meeting
Tuesday, August 20, 2013, 7:30 P.M.
Bridgewater Town Hall

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Chairman Frank Sproviero. The meeting was being recorded.

Roll Call and Designation of Alternates:

Present: Bob Kelly, Strother Purdy, Vic Nelson, Greg Bollard, Eric Vikstrom, Frank Sproviero

Also Present: Russ Dirienzo, Wetlands Enforcement Officer

Absent: C. Read, Alex McNaughton (alt), Lori Franklin (alt)

Minutes of the regular meeting held July 16, 2013.

B. Kelly made a motion to approve the minutes of the regular meeting held on July 16, 2013, with corrections made to attendance. E. Vikstrom seconded. B. Kelly, S. Purdy, E. Vikstrom, F. Sproviero were in favor. G. Bollard and V. Nelson abstained because they were not present at the last meeting.

Comments from the Public: none

Old Business:

1. Town of Bridgewater, Eabow Brook Road, road improvements. Richard Calkins from Northwest Consulting was present for this application. He felt that the crossing of the brook was not in good shape. The pipes are in good shape but the wing walls are broken and falling into the brook. The adjacent property owner will be doing the work. He wants to build new wing walls out of stone. The parapets need to be replaced and the new ones need to be 42" high.

G. Bollard wants a baseline set of criteria. He requested details on wing walls, cross section of the pipe, wing walls need to be buried 2 feet deep and more detail on the head walls. The town foreman will be supervising the construction. The work is to be done in the dry season. R. Dirienzo will oversee the work as well. He also wants 18" lifts maximum.

The rest of the road needs to be crowned and swales will carry the runoff.

G. Bollard made a motion to accept the Road Improvement Plan as submitted on 8/20/2013 by Northeast Consulting, map SP-1 for Steam Crossing Improvements, Eabow Brook Road, Bridgewater. Subject to general provisions and subject to the submission of details on wing walls, cross section of the pipe, wing walls buried 2 feet deep and more detail on the head walls. The town foreman will be supervising the construction. The work is to be done in the dry season, R. Dirienzo will oversee the work, 18" lifts maximum. The plans will be reviewed by the enforcement officer and the chairman within the next 30 days prior to construction. F. Sproviero seconded. Unanimous approval.

2. Dizengoff, 3 Landmark Drive, rebuild retaining walls. G. Bollard made a motion to approve the applicants' request for a 35 day extension. E. Vikstrom seconded. Unanimous approval.

New Business: none

Enforcement:

1. R. Dirienzo's report was received by the commission.

Procedural Matters: none

Other Business:

S. Purdy looked into the new training program that is available online that R. Dirienzo had mentioned at the last meeting. The Town will be receiving a voucher for this program. There was discussion about all of the members possible taking this by staying after each meeting. This will be looked into further.

Adjourn: B. Kelly made a motion to adjourn. G. Bollard seconded. Unanimous approval at 8:15 p.m. The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Lois Carreira, Land Use Coordinator