

# TOWN OF BRIMFIELD

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### CONSERVATION COMMISSION

# Public Meeting Notice/Agenda

Wednesday, January 22, 2014 – 7:00 PM Salisbury Annex Conference Room

#### **Administrative Matters**

- Call to Order
- > Approval of Minutes
- ➤ Review Mail & Phone messages
- Public Inquiries
- ➤ Chair, Agent & Member Reports
- Other Business (New/Old):
  - Budget Request due 2/5/2014
  - Bylaw Discussion & Action Plan
  - Information Request: Winter Lake Drawdowns Jason Carmignani, PhD Candidate at UMASS
  - Open Space and Recreation Plan Discussion
- Signing of Documents (Payroll, Payables, DOA, OOC, COC, Extensions, Emergencies)

#### **Schedule of Public Meetings and Hearings**

# NO PUBLIC HEARINGS OR MEETINGS SCHEDULED

#### Other Projects, Monitoring, Enforcements and Violations

### 7:00 PM Enforcement Order (EO): Haynes Hill Road (Map 17A Lot 2.1) – Christopher Batista

Violation at Haynes Hill Road (Assessors Map 17 A 2.1). Three (3) excavators parked on associated property and a neighboring property (Assessors Map 17 A 3). The equipment is located within wetland resource areas and is reportedly leaking petroleum products into said resource areas. Pursuant to a site inspection conducted on October 30, 2013, approximately 150-square feet of significant disturbance to the resource areas from direct vegetation cutting and removal, soil disturbance, compaction and rutting, and changes to the natural hydrologic regime from heavy equipment moving throughout the property were observed.

#### 7:15 PM Possible Violation: 6 St. Clair Road (Map 11A Lot 5) – Michele Cox

Violation at 6 St. Clair Road (Assessors Map 11 A 5). There is a green dumpster, full of trash, in the river that runs between the property and Route 20. Pursuant to a site inspection conducted on January 8, 2014, the Agent did observed from both Route 20 and St. Clair Road a green dumpster that appears to have either been pushed or possibly fallen from the driveway/ledge above, into the river

#### 7:30 PM Possible Violation: 46 St. Clair Road (Map 11A Lot 2) – John & Sarah Rahkonen

Violation at 46 St. Clair Road (Assessors Map 11 A 2). Approximately 2.2 acres of forest was recently cut and a new driveway approximately 12-feet wide and close to a half-mile long was recently constructed. At least one unpermitted stream crossing and one possible unpermitted wetlands crossing was evident on site. It was clear that wetlands, including but not limited to, an intermittent stream and Bordering Vegetated Wetland had been

significantly disturbed from driveway fill, improper culvert installation, direct vegetation cutting and removal, soil disturbance, and changes to the natural hydrologic regime throughout the property. Numerous hydrologic connections were disrupted through the direct placement of fill within the defined channels.

## Other Projects, Monitoring, Enforcements and Violations

- DEP # 117-0333: 10 Hastings Lane Exxon (Monitoring Report)
- DEP # 117-0340: Little Alum Drawdown (Letter to Selectmen)
- DEP Compliance Inquiry Dean Pond Road
- DEP # 117-0287: Apple Road Joe Ciesla (Possible Plan Amendment)
- Compliant: 8 Third Street

Set Next Meeting Date: Wednesday February 12, 2014 at 7:00 pm