

**CONSERVATION AND INLAND WETLANDS COMMISSION**  
**TOWN OF DEEP RIVER, CONNECTICUT**

Town Hall

174 Main Street

Deep River, Connecticut 06417

*A regular meeting* of the *Deep River Conservation and Inland Wetlands Commission* held on Thursday, June 10, 2010 at the Deep River Town Hall was called to order at 7:35 p.m. by Chairman Mizejeski. Members present: Susan Board, Carmela Balducci, Ron Larsen, Alan Mizejeski, Alternate Michael Tomlinson and Alternate/WEO Mark Reyher. Absent: George Atwood, Carol Libby, and John Szymanski. Also present: Nancy Howard. Chairman seated Alternate Tomlinson for absent member John Szymanski.

Approval of Minutes: A motion was made by Michael Tomlinson and seconded by Susan Board to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of May 13, 2010 as printed. (5-0) Voted Unanimously.

Enforcement: WEO Mark Reyher reported on the following:

(a) Haynes Aggregates/Town Swimming Pond: The WEO inspected the Haynes site and found that the hay bales were no longer in place. The WEO asked that the hay bales be reinstalled. Chairman noted that he was contacted by Sheldon Moir from Haynes and informed him that the Commission is interested in reviewing the containment system for the area in order to continue to prevent runoff into the Town swimming pond. A letter will be sent to Haynes asking that a representative attend a meeting to review the sedimentation and erosion control measures.

(b) Incarnation Center: Erik Becker from Incarnation Center called to inquire about how close the trees can be cleared near the small pond. The WEO will schedule an appointment to meet with Erik Becker and Peter Larum at the site.

(c) Lawrence and Claire Webb, 11 Everett Lane (Map 13, Lot 7-16): A letter of violation had been issued to Lawrence and Claire Webb for filling of wetlands or within 100 ft. of a wetlands or watercourse. WEO noted that Mr. Webb has installed silt fencing as requested and will be planting the area. Mr. Webb indicated that the intent was to open up the yard and address concern about the embankment off the driveway. Mr. Webb has been using a backhoe on the property.

(d) WEO noted that three Preliminary Wetlands Identification Statement forms have been completed in the past month with none requiring a wetlands permit. The activities are an addition on Village Street; deck on Spring Street; and garage and addition on Sunset Ridge.

(e) Richard Cooke, 215 Winthrop Road (Map 27, Lot 5), Permit 4-09: Mr. Cooke has inquired if the Commission would possibly lower the amount of the bond set as a condition of approval. Commission members noted that the amount of the bond was recommended by the engineer based on the work to be done.

Financial Report/Payment of Bills: The Chairman reviewed the status of the current budget. The following bills were received: Nancy Howard, clerical services, 11 ½ hours and postage reimbursement \$5.98; and Hartford Courant, legal advertising, \$23.76. A motion was made by Michael Tomlinson and seconded by Ron Larsen to approve payment of the bills as submitted. (5-0) Voted Unanimously. Discussion took place about purchasing a camera for the WEO. [Michael Tomlinson left the meeting at 8:00 p.m.] A motion was made by Ron Larsen and seconded by Susan Board to authorize Mark Reyher to spend no more than \$500.00 for the purchase of a camera, docking station, and memory card. (4-0) Voted Unanimously.

Conservation: Commission members discussed the consideration of splitting the Commission into two Boards. Additional budget costs would be involved with having two Commissions. Current members may be interested in serving both Commissions. Chairman Mizejeski noted that he would volunteer to lead a hike in Canfield Woods. The Chairman noted that he spoke with Bob Nussbaum in Essex, who will check to see what can be done about correcting the sign at the entrance to Canfield Woods to read the Deep River Conservation & Inland Wetlands Commission rather than the Deep River Land Trust. Research will be done on the laws and requirements pertaining to Conservation Commissions.

A motion was made by Susan Board and seconded by Ron Larsen to adjourn at 8:25 p.m. (4-0)  
Voted Unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

*Nancy Howard*

Recording Secretary