

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, December 10, 2015 at the Deep River Town Hall was called to order at 7:38 p.m. by Chairman Mizejeski. Members present: George Atwood, Susan Board, Carol Libby, John Dube, Alan Mizejeski, Tanner Steeves, Alternate Michael Tomlinson, Alternate/WEO Mark Reyher. Absent: Ron Larsen.

Approval of Minutes: A motion was made by Carol Libby and seconded by Tanner Steeves to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of November 12, 2015 as printed. (6-0) Voted Unanimously.

Public Business:

Thomas Law, 22 Acorn Road: An application by Thomas Law was accepted at the November meeting for the purpose of construction of a 24' x 40' garage/barn for storage of cars at 22 Acorn Road. A seasonal stream is located 25 feet from the proposed garage. No fill is required. The property is located in an area designated by the Natural Diversity Data Base. WEO Reyher will complete the application for submission to the State DEEP. WEO Reyher noted that he drove by the property and noted that there is a lot of plant matter. The Commission reviewed the aerial photos. The proposal did not appear that it would have an effect on the habitat. A motion was made by Carol Libby and seconded by John Dube to approve the application as submitted subject to the following conditions: (a) The Wetlands Enforcement Officer shall be notified prior to the start of work; and (b) Erosion and sedimentation control measures shall be placed, if necessary, in accordance with direction by the Wetlands Enforcement Officer. (6-0) Voted Unanimously.

New Business: None

Old Business: Tanner noted that the trash can at Canfield Woods has been removed.

Enforcement: WEO Reyher noted that he reviewed preliminary identification forms for proposed sheds on properties on Bridge Street, Rosemont Drive, Bushy Hill and Warsaw Street. None involved a regulated activity.

Financial: An invoice was received from Nancy Howard for 18 hours of clerical services. A motion was made by Sue Board and seconded by John Dube to approve payment of the invoice as proposed. (6-0) Voted Unanimously.

Chairperson: Meeting Schedule: The 2016 meeting schedule was distributed. The regular meetings are held on the second Thursday at 7:30 p.m. A motion was made by John Dube and seconded by Tanner Steeves to approve the 2016 meeting scheduled as presented. (6-0) Voted Unanimously.

Conservation/Canfield Woods: John Dube went into Canfield Woods on December 5th with the oxen and cut down standing dead wood and some from across the trail. Hikers were enthusiastic.

A motion was made by Carol Libby and seconded by George Atwood to adjourn at 8:04 p.m. (6-0) Voted Unanimously.

Respectfully submitted
Susan Board
Secretary