## TOWN OF GREAT BARRINGTON CONSERVATION COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11, 2014 4:30 P.M. – GREAT BARRINGTON TOWN HALL

PRESENT: ANDREW MANKIN – Chairman JESSICA DEZIECK - Vice-Chairman LISA BOZZUTO KATE VAN OLST SHEP EVANS – CONSERVATION AGENT

## CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Mankin called the meeting to order at 4:34 PM.

A request has been received from Atty. Nicholas Arienti that the Commission issue a partial release from the enforcement order of October 11, 2013 revised and reissued December 18, 2013 on property at 263 Long Pond Road and 249 Long Pond Road, for a 1.466 acre lot which has been subdivided out of the property at 263 Long Pond Road. This 1.466 acre lot is to be conveyed to new owners and is not physically proximate to the wetland violations that were the subject of the enforcement orders. The partial release has been reviewed and approved by Town Council.

MOTION : Jessica Dezieck to end discussion of the matter. SECOND: Lisa Bozzuto VOTE: 4 - 0 Approved.

MOTION: Lisa Bozzuto to sign & issue the release as presented. SECOND: Andrew Mankin VOTE: 3-1 in favor. Approved.

The Commission held a discussion concerning public parking and mowing of grass at the Fairgrounds in or near areas that have formerly been delineated as wetland. It was noted that car parking was for the most part orderly, but that someone had been mowing right next to the drainage ditch at the southerly property line and had driven a mowing machine into the cattails on the north side of the access roadway. It was agreed that the Commission should consider sending a letter asking that mowing and parking along the south side of the access roadway be limited to a reasonable width and that mowing and parking north of the access roadway be kept an appropriate distance away from the cattails parallel to Route 7.

ADJOURNMENT: On a motion by Jessica Dezieck, seconded by Lisa Bozzuto, the Commission adjourned its meeting at 4:55 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Shepley Evans Conservation Agent