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BOARD:

Conservation Commission

TOPIC:

Monthly Meeting

MEETING DATE:

January 13, 2016

MEETING PLACE:

Town Hall Meeting Room

TIME:

7:00 P.M.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

T. Schaefer, J. Gebauer, J. Aalto, T. Grim, M. Dempsey, H. Meninger

MEMBERS ABSENT:

C. Keene

GUESTS:

none

RECORDER:

M. Dempsey

(Action Taken:)

Dempsey motioned to open the meeting at 7:01p.m. Aalto seconds the motion. (Voted: 6-0).

- 1. Lower Center Street Update
 - a. Dempsey defended CPC review of Johnson Pond initiatives.
 - b. Update as BOS actions include possible update from Fire Chief.
 - c. J. Mangienello is somewhat happy.

2. 16 Pandora GNOI Pool

One tree was removed. They are digging into the grade to level it for paver patio on house side. Permit should include the silt sock for erosion control. Care should be taken when draining pool to avoid flow directly into wetlands. Informed about seasonal restriction and permission to cut tree down and will remove stump in April.

(Action Taken:)

Gebauer motioned to grant permission to install pool, cut tree down and remove the stump in April. Grim seconds the motion. (Voted: 6-0).

3. 40 Wood St. ANRAD/GRAD Hearing-

The applicant Rob Ahern was present.

Grim motioned to accept the wetland delineation and issue ORAD. Aalto seconds the motion. There were no questions by or for the applicant. A resident at 42 Wood Street asked about the process and we told him this was just to find out where the wetlands were 4. Turtle Mitigation Sites behind Federal Way RDA/GRDA

Pat Huckery and Jenn Jones of Fish and Game described 3 new turtle nursing sites. Site in Georgetown has been successful and they want to use a similar model. There are mounds and berms made of natural sand. ATV access is blocked with boulders. None are located in the 100 ft. buffer zone and will connect since Hampshire Lane is not in Groveland. (It ends in Georgetown.) They want to complete by May 15. No issues with seasonal restrictions. Trees will be removed. They are monitoring turtles on Rt. 97 at our property. Dempsey motioned on approved letter. Grim seconds the motion. (Voted: 6-0).

5. Minutes approval-

Gebauer motioned to approve minutes from December 9, 2015. Grim seconds the motion.

6. Enforcement Issues and visits-

Pecker Lane, Grim will visit. Aalto will visit. Invite to next meeting if needed. (Voted: 5-0-1).

- 7. FY 2017 Budget Submission-Dempsey detailed what was submitted a request of \$6140.00.
- 8. Next meeting- Wednesday, February 10, 2016 at 7:00p.m.

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(Action Taken:)

Grim motioned to end meeting at 8:18 p.m. Schaefer seconded the motion. (Voted: 6-0).

Date: 2-10-16