



**Conservation Commission  
April 8, 2008**

**Members Present: Katheryn Holmes, Vice-Chair; Bill Annable; Suzanne Levine**

Mrs. Holmes opened the meeting at 7:15 p.m. Due to a lack of members present, actions by the Commission were limited.

**MINUTES**

The Commission members decided to postpone the review of the March 13, 2008 minutes until the May 6, 2008 meeting.

**INTENTS TO CUT**

There were no intents to cut reported.

**WETLANDS**

There was one Standard Dredge and Fill Application that the members reviewed due to a complaint by an abutter.

1. Department of Resources and Economic Development for property located in the vicinity of Bay Point Road tax map 07 lot 165-144 to reconstruct/upgrade existing drainage areas and repair erosion damage including shoreline embankment, installation of end section and riprap and temporary erosion control measures during construction. Total wetland impact = 18,555 SF with 1,540 SF permanent impact and 17,015 SF temporary impact during construction including 6,600 SF temporary FEMA Disaster Area impact. Plans attached.

The members decided to send a letter to the Wetlands Board requesting that the Bureau hold the application for the allowed 40 days in order to give the Conservation Commission time to review the application together.

**COMMUNICATIONS**

Mrs. Holmes received a letter from Ann Poole informing the Newbury Conservation Commission that several other municipal conservation commissions are interested in

viewing Newbury's Conservation Plan. Mrs. Holmes read a press release that has been sent to the local newspaper.

## **OLD BUSINESS**

### Conservation Plan

The Commission members discussed the quote for publication submitted from Bill Weiler. The quote is from Town & Country Reprographics, Inc. in Concord, NH in the amount of \$772.00 for 100 copies. (\$551.00 for the Conservation Plan and \$221.00 for the Addendum to the Natural Resource Inventory). The members decided to hold a public hearing to expend funds in the amount of \$1,000.00 on April 29, 2008 at 7:30 p.m.

The quote from Town & Country is dated April 2, 2008, only good for 30 days and does not include freight, typesetting or design work. Therefore, the Commission members decided to increase the expense amount by \$228.00 for an even \$1,000.00.

Mrs. Holmes will research to see if there are any funds left from the Conservation Plan line item to help pay for the publishing.

Mr. Annable made a motion to adjourn. Ms. Levine seconded the motion. All in favor. Meeting adjourned at 9:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Linda Plunkett