West Newbury Conservation Commission Meeting Minutes Monday, March 5, 2012

Commission Members Present: Dawne Fusco (chair), Judy Mizner, Rick Spieler, Wendy Reed. Conservation Agent Jay Smith also present.

Discussion: Dana Thompson, 56 Bachelor St. --- Cutting along the road by the Highway Dept.

The property owners were present to discuss their concerns with cutting along the roadway and wetlands by the DPW. A copy of their letter to Mr. Bill dated 2/27/12 was submitted to the Commission. Photographs and a video presentation were also provided. A site visit was scheduled to inspect the wetland line and determine if the buffer zone was impacted by this activity.

Discussion: Minutes

The minutes from the February 13, 2012 meeting were reviewed. Spieler moved to accept them. Fusco seconded the motion. Motion passed (3,0).

Discussion: Ocean Meadows trail.

Proposed crossings were described by Smith. A site walk will be conducted to inspect the crossing locations. Smith will contact Mr. Gillis to let him know the date and time.

Discussion: Sforza property, Lots 1 and 2, Middle St. --- Objections of a request to release from 61A.

Fusco moved to notify the BOS that the Commission has no objections to waiving right of first refusal on this parcel. Spieler seconded the motion. Motion passed (4,0).

The next scheduled Con Com meeting will be March 19, 2012