

**West Newbury
Conservation Commission Meeting Minutes
Monday, June 18, 2012**

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

Cont. Public Hearing --- Notice of Intent --- Phillip Aberizk, 89 River Rd. ---

Applicant would like to construct a detached garage. The work will be done within the buffer zone to a bordering vegetated wetland.

Applicant's consultant was present to discuss the notice. They are still waiting for a response from NHES, the DEP and return of green cards. There is no riverfront issue and the work is 62 feet from the nearest flag in the A wetland series. The wetland was delineated in May 2012 but needs to be verified by the Agent. A site walk was scheduled for Saturday, June 23 at 8:00 a.m.

Discussion: Essex County Trails Association --- Request a review of bridge design for a wetland crossing.

ECTA's bridge consultant was present to answer questions about the proposed bridges. Mizner moved to authorize construction of the boardwalk bridge as shown on the plan dated 6/5/12 with the conditions that the exact location be staked and approved prior to construction and that any spoils generated will be disposed of outside the BVW. Also, the location of the movable pedestrian bridge to be built by ECTA and volunteers will be approved by the Agent prior to installation. Fusco seconded the motion. Motion passed (4,0).

Meeting adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

The next scheduled Con Com meeting will be Monday, **July 2, 2012**