

Inland Wetlands Commission (IWC)  
Minutes - Special Meeting  
Tuesday, May 28, 2013, 7:00PM  
First Floor Conference Room.  
Senior Center  
26 Park Place  
Rockville/Vernon, CT

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1. Call to Order & Roll Call

- ◆ Meeting was called to order at 7:03 P.M.
- ◆ Regular Members Present: Jeffrey Pescosolido, Lynda Morhardt, Ronald Kane and Frank Galat (7:08 P.M.).
- ◆ Alternate Members Present: None
- ◆ Staff Present: Leonard Tundermann, Town Planner, Craig Perry, Inland Wetlands Agent.
- ◆ Recording Secretary: James Krupienski

2. Administrative Actions

2.1 Communications received not related to Agenda items.

- ◆ Permit Application of Aquatic Control Technology for the Use of Pesticides in State Waters (Walker Reservoir East)
- ◆ Permit Application of Aquatic Control Technology for the Use of Pesticides in State Waters (Paper Mill Pond)

- ◆ Lynda Mordhart questioned possible input from the Conservation Commission.
- ◆ Staff indicated that the Conservation Commission has reviewed the permit information.
- ◆ Lynda Mordhart was concerned with possible impact to downstream waters.
- ◆ Leonard Tundermann, Town Planner indicated that he would contact the DEEP and the treatment company regarding possible impact.
- ◆ Frank Galat entered the meeting at 7:08 P.M.
- ◆ Staff indicated that the commission has the ability to comment to DEEP only and would submit comments for review and response.
  - Effects to downstream waters quality;
  - Effect on fish within the treated lakes;

2.2 Approval of Minutes. April 30, 2013

- ◆ Jeffrey Pescosolido, seconded by Frank Galat moved a Motion to adopt the April 30, 2013 Regular Meeting minutes as amended.
  - 4.2 – Craig Perry indicated that he would contact George Logan regarding Hydrology report at 199 Tunnel Road.
- ◆ Motion carried unanimously.

2.3 Call for filing(s) of Intervener petition(s) and determination of status.

- ◆ None

3. Receipt of Application and determination of significance

3.1 Application IWC-2013-04) of Terry McCarthy, P.E./Town of Vernon for a wetlands permit for replacement of the West Main Street bridge over the Hockanum River.

- ◆ **Terry McCarthy, Town Engineer was not present.**
- ◆ **David Arzt, Cardinal Engineering:**
  - **State Project #146-188 to replace the West Main Street Bridge over the Hockanum River.**
  - **State project with full environmental review;**
  - **16" water main under the south sidewalk;**
  - **10" water main under south sidewalk;**
  - **6" gas main between the bridge stringers;**
  - **6" abandoned fire supply from Saxony Mill site;**
  - **Hydraulically inadequate for 100 year storm event;**
  - **Replacement Bridge**
    - **Roadway width to remain the same.**
    - **34' span pre-stressed concrete deck units on piles.**
    - **Removed trees will be replaced.**
    - **3' wildlife shelf as recommended by the Army Corp of Engineers.**
    - **3' diameter boulders for stream delineation.**
    - **Permanent gas main will be installed bridge side.**
    - **Slopes with modified rip rapp.**
    - **Estimated 10 months of construction.**
    - **Fisheries has signed off on proposed plans.**
    - **90% designs have been completed.**
    - **Waiting on flood management.**
    - **Project is funded by 80% Federal/20% Local.**
    - **Craig Perry, IWC Agent questioned Erosion and Sediment Controls for the construction.**
    - **Mr. Arzt indicated that the Final plans would include the Erosion plans.**
    - **Full time construction inspection will be on site.**
    - **Improving existing runoff collection through additional catch basins with 4' sumps.**
- ◆ **Jeffrey Pescosolido, seconded by Ronald Kane moved a Motion to Receive Application IWC-2013-04) of Terry McCarthy, P.E./Town of Vernon for a wetlands permit for replacement of the West Main Street bridge over the Hockanum River. Motion carried unanimously.**
- ◆ **Jeffrey Pescosolido, seconded by Frank Galat determined the Project was of Significance and Scheduled a Public Hearing for June 25, 2013. Motion carried unanimously.**

4. Status of Cease & Correct Orders

• Talcottville Mill, 47 Main Street

- ◆ **No new information.**
- ◆ **Discussion was tabled until the Chairman was present for the discussion.**

• 21 Terrace Drive

- ◆ **No updates received from Harold Cummings, Town Attorney.**

- 19 Grove Street

- ◆ **Craig Perry indicated that the Public Works department is creating a list for site cleanup to go out for bid.**

- **No site excavation – removal of the buildings and cleanup of materials only.**

5. Additional Business

5.1 Wetlands Enforcement Officer – Report

- ◆ **None**

5.2 Inland Wetland Agent — Report

- ◆ **None**

6. Adjournment.

- ◆ **Jeffrey Pescosolido, seconded by Ronald Kane moved a Motion to Adjourn. Motion carried unanimously.**

- ◆ **Meeting Adjourned at 8:10 P.M.**

**James Krupienski  
Recording Secretary**