Holland Conservation Commission

Minutes of Commission meeting held on September 11, 2012

Present: Nathan Gumlaw, Chairperson, Marcia Beal, Neil Byrne, Marianne Martone, James Wettlaufer

Absent: Patricia Caron

Chairperson called the meeting to order at 7.00 PM. The minutes of the August 28, 2012 meeting were read and approved.

The Certificate of Compliance for Deborah Colt of 13 Forest Court was signed.

A bill for a newspaper ad was approved.

An Order of Conditions for John Phelps of 19 Island Road was signed.

Mail:

Received a notice from the executive office of Public Safety and Security advising towns of available grants, which was given to James Wettlaufer

7:30 — Mike Matte of 64 Kinble Hill Road came in as requested to discuss his letter of Cease and Desist for activity in the resource area and lack of a silt fence. He had extensive damage due to the October storm and needed trees removed. He went to the town forester who gave him permission but never notified the Conservation Commission. Nate met with him and the Berkeley Tree Company on a follow up inspection to discuss the situation before the meeting. The owner has restored the area and silt fence and hay bales were replaced. One more tree will be removed with no activity in the resource area. The conservation Commission felt he had restored the area. Neil Byrne made the motion that no further action be taken and Marianne seconded it. The owner noted that there is a white 55 gallon drum in the Leadmine Brook. We will schedule a site inspection in the future.

8.00 — Nate Gumlaw will meet with the Army Corps of Engineers on September 13, 2012 to approve work on a bridge of Alexander Road.

8·10 — Bob Ardizzone of 2 Lakeshore Drive came in for an extension of his Order of Conditions to build a home. After checking it out we found he already had an extension as per Section 173 of Chapter 240 of the Act of 2010 His extension now is due on February 29, 2015 No action is necessary

8:20 - Joanne from the Highway Department came in looking for a map of vernal pools for a Notice of Intent that is forthcoming

8.30 — Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted by,

Marcia Beal, Acting Secretary

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