

**BRISTOL INLAND WETLANDS COMMISSION
MINUTES
REGULAR MEETING OF WEDNESDAY MAY 5, 2021**

CALL TO ORDER:

By: Chairman Fisk

Time: 7:00 P.M.

Place: City Hall

ROLL CALL:

MEMBERS	NAME:	PRESENT	ABSENT
REGULAR MEMBERS:	Zachary Fisk (Chairman)	X	
	Chet Reed (Vice Chairman)		X
	Sebastian Panioto (Secretary)	X	
	Michael Robinson	X	
	James Carros	X	
	David Rooks	X	
	Tammy Kelly	X	
ALTERNATE MEMBERS	David Scarritt		X
	Daniel Massaro, Jr.	X	
	Carolyn Checovetes	X	
STAFF	Carol Noble, P.E., Environmental Engineer	X	

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIENCE

Chairman Fisk led the Commission in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

INTRODUCTIONS AND SEATING OF ALTERNATES

Commissioners and Staff were introduced. Alternate Members Massaro and Checovetes were seated.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION (NON-PENDING APPLICATIONS)

There was no public participation.

ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS:

1. Approval of Minutes – April 7, 2021 regular
2. Approval of Minutes – March 24, 2021 special

MOTION: Move to approve the minutes of the April 7, 2021, regular meeting.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Carros

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.

Against: None.

Abstained: None.

MOTION: Move to approve the minutes of the March 24, 2021, regular meeting.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Carros

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.
Against: None.
Abstained: None.

PUBLIC HEARINGS:

3. Application #1915 – Wetlands Application for Subdivision, 505-545 Redstone Hill Road (18 lots); Assessor's Map 2, Lots 133; 133-1; 133-2 & 133-3. 505-545 Redstone Hill Road, LLC, applicant.
4. Application #1916 (Amended) – Wetlands Boundary Change -, Redstone Hill Road; Assessor's Map 2, Lots 133 and 133-3. 505-545. 505-545 Redstone Hill Road, LLC, applicant.

The Commission received the following items in their electronic packets: a summary letter dated April 6, 2021, from Attorney Andre Dorval, regarding Applications #1915 and #1916; stormwater management report, entitled "*Stormwater Management Report, 505-545 Redstone Hill Road, Bristol, Connecticut, Prepared for Total Access, HEC Project #2019, February 17, 2021, By Harry E. Cole & Son, 876 South Main Street Plantsville, CT 06479*"; a wetlands delineation report, dated November 10, 2020, from Soil Resource Consultants, regarding 505-545 Redstone Hill Rd.; Photograph of the signposting for property, undated; On-Site minutes, for App. #1915 and #1916, dated April 28, 2021 and five photographs, dated April 28, 2021.

MOTION: Move to open public hearing for Application #1915.

By: Robinson Seconded: Carros

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.
Against: None.
Abstained: None.

The hearing is opened.

MOTION: Move to open public hearing for Application #1916.

By: Robinson Seconded: Carros

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.
Against: None.
Abstained: None.

The hearing is opened.

Chairman Fisk explained, the Applications would be heard concurrently and voted on separately.

Attorney Andre Dorval, 17 Riverside Avenue, on behalf of the applicant, detailed the amendment to application #1916, since it had been accepted on April 7, 2021, which was to remove parcels 02-133-2 and 02-133-1 from the application, as they do not contain wetlands or an uplands review area.

MOTION: Move to approve the minutes of the April 28, 2021, on-site visit to 505-545 Redstone Hill Road.

By: Robinson Seconded: Panioto

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.
Against: None.
Abstained: None.

Stephen Giudice, L.S., Harry E. Cole & Son, 876 South Main Street, Plantsville, on behalf of the applicant, presented current site conditions, the proposed dry detention basin and the stormwater management system maintenance plan.

David Lord, Soil Scientist, Soil Resource Consultant, 26 Blueberry Lane, Meriden, CT, on behalf of the applicant, reported his findings from field work performed at 505 Redstone Hill Road, to identify and delineate the onsite inland wetlands and water course boundaries.

Staff member Noble, P.E., reported the maintenance agreements are approved by the Storm Water Trust and recommended approval.

Chairman Fisk opened the floor hear questions from the Public.

Marianne Vitali, 80 Rita Drive, posed questions to the Commission and Representatives of the Applicant, regarding potential impacts to her property.

MOTION: Close public hearing for Application #1915.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Panioto

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.

Against: None.

Abstained: None.

No one else spoke in favor of the application.

No one spoke against the application.

The hearing is closed.

MOTION: To approve Application #1915 – Wetlands Application for Subdivision, 505-545 Redstone Hill Road (18 lots); Assessor’s Map 2, Lots 133; 133-1; 133-2 & 133-3. 505-545 Redstone Hill Road, LLC, applicant, in accordance with the plot plan and information submitted with standard stipulations.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Panioto

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, and Fisk.

Against: None.

Abstained: None.

The application is approved.

MOTION: Close public hearing for Application #1916.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Panioto

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.

Against: None.

Abstained: None.

No one else spoke in favor of the application.

No one spoke against the application.

The hearing is closed.

MOTION: Move to approve Application #1916– Wetlands Application for Subdivision, 505-545 Redstone Hill Road (18 lots); Assessor’s Map 2, Lots 133; 133-1; 133-2 & 133-3. 505-545 Redstone Hill Road, LLC, applicant, in accordance with the plot plan and information submitted with standard stipulations.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Panioto

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, and Fisk.
Against: None.
Abstained: None.

The application is approved.

PENDING APPLICATIONS

There were no pending applications.

NEW BUSINESS

There was no new business.

NEW APPLICATIONS

5. Application 1848 – Wetlands Application Modification (approved August 20, 2018) to construct a parking lot under new ownership; 71 Horizon Drive; Assessor’s Map 4; Lot 24; Mercier Avenue Development, LLC, applicant.

The Commission acknowledged receipt of the following items: a Site Plan report, dated March 22, 2021, entitled “Site Plan Report, for 71 Horizon Drive, Assessor’s Map 4, Lot 24, Bristol, CT, from Robert Green Associates, LLC and six photographs dated April 28, 2021.

Chairman Fisk requested staff member Noble, P.E., Environmental Engineer, to advise the Commission regarding whether Application #1848 should be considered complete. Staff member Noble, P.E., advised that Application #1848 should be considered complete.

MOTION: Move to receive Application #1848.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Panioto

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.
Against: None.
Abstained: None.

The application is received.

Attorney James Ziogas, 104 Bellevue Avenue, on behalf of the applicant, presented proposed modifications to the previously approved site plan for 71 Horizon Drive. The modifications are to accommodate the current tenant’s needs by adding 153 additional parking spaces to the site.

Brian Cunningham, Robert Green Associates LLC, 6 Old Waterbury Rd, Terryville, CT, on behalf of the applicant, presented regarding the removal and grading of 750 c.y. of material, proposed erosion/sedimentation control plan and install of a hydrodynamic cascade separator.

Staff member Noble, P.E., recommended Application #1848 not be considered a significant activity as it’s a modification of a previously approved application, in which the proposed changes ensure that previously approved, compensatory stormwater management structures and systems are completed, as well as, additional compensatory measures are to be installed.

MOTION: Move to declare Application #1848 a non-significant activity.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Carros

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.
Against: None.
Abstained: None.

The application was declared a non-significant activity.

MOTION: Move to approve Wetlands Application Modification (approved August 20, 2018) to construct a parking lot under new ownership; 71 Horizon Drive; Assessor's Map 4; Lot 24; Mercier Avenue Development, LLC, applicant, in accordance with the plot plan and information submitted with standard stipulations.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Carros

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Massaro and Fisk.
Against: None.
Abstained: None.

The application is approved.

6. Application 1923 - Wetlands Application for construction of a 40,000 sq. ft. addition with associated parking, grading, drainage and detention/water quality basin at 360 Minor Street; Assessor's Map 65; Lot 13-3. Borghesi Building & Engineering Co., Inc., applicant.
7. Application 1924 - Wetlands Boundary Change for actual field locations done for a more accurate area to develop at 360 Minor Street; Assessor's Map 65; Lot 13-3. Borghesi Building & Engineering Company, Inc., applicant.

The Commission received the following items in their electronic packets: an inspection report, dated November 28, 2014, from George T. Malia, Jr., C.S.S. to Robert Blanchette, P.E., Borghesi Building and Engineering, Co., Inc., regarding Inspection of Property of Braverman Bristol, LLC for Inland Wetlands and nine photographs dated April 27, 2021.

Chairman Fisk requested staff member Noble, P.E., Environmental Engineer, to advise the Commission regarding whether Application #1923 should be considered complete. Staff member Noble, P.E., advised that Application #1923 should be considered complete.

MOTION: Move to receive Application #1923.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Carros

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.
Against: None.
Abstained: None.

The application is received.

Chairman Fisk requested staff member Noble, P.E., Environmental Engineer, to advise the Commission regarding whether Application #1924 should be considered complete. Staff member Noble, P.E., advised that Application #1924 should be considered complete.

MOTION: Move to receive Application #1924.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Carros

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.
Against: None.
Abstained: None.

The application is received.

Chairman Fisk specified Applications 1923#, #1924 were to be heard concurrently and voted on separately.

Robert Blanchette, P.E., Borghesi Building and Engineering, Co., Inc., 2155 East Main Street, Torrington, on behalf of the applicant, described the proposed construction of a 40,000 sq. ft. addition with associated parking, grading, drainage and detention/water quality basin at 360 Minor Street. Believing the proposal to be a significant activity, Mr. Blanchette requested date for an onsite inspection and hearing date.

MOTION: Move to declare Application #1923 a significant activity and set a public hearing for the June 2, 2021 meeting and schedule an onsite inspection.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Panioto

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.

Against: None.

Abstained: None.

The application was declared a significant activity.

MOTION: Move to declare Application #1924 a significant activity and set a public hearing for the June 2, 2021 meeting and schedule an onsite inspection.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Panioto

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.

Against: None.

Abstained: None.

The application was declared a significant activity.

8. Application 1925 - Wetlands Application for removal of all smaller trees. Leaving three large oaks and a tulip tree in place for shade, beauty and to assist with the minor potential for soil erosion. Grade the property. (Currently there is a small dip in the area of several inches) To extend usable area and remove the debris trapping brush; at 66 Vermont Drive; Assessor's Map 50; Lot 9. Paul Bentley, applicant.

The Commission received the following items in their electronic packets: four photographs, undated.

Chairman Fisk requested staff member Noble, P.E., Environmental Engineer, to advise the Commission regarding whether Application #1925 should be considered complete. Staff member Noble, P.E., advised that Application #1925 should be considered complete.

MOTION: Move to receive Application #1925.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Panioto

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.

Against: None.

Abstained: None.

The application is received.

Paul Bentley, 66 Vermont Drive, spoke on behalf of his request to permit the removal of all small trees and brush in a 25 x 75 foot section of his property, leaving four mature trees.

Staff member Noble, P.E., recommended Application #1925 not be considered a significant activity.

MOTION: Move to declare Application #1925 a non-significant activity.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Carros

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.

Against: None.

Abstained: None.

The application was declared a non-significant activity.

MOTION: Move to approve Application #1925 - Wetlands Application for removal of all smaller trees. Leaving three large oaks and a tulip tree in place for shade, beauty and to assist with the minor potential for soil erosion. Grade the property. (Currently there is a small dip in the area of several inches) To extend usable area and remove the debris trapping brush; at 66 Vermont Drive; Assessor's Map 50; Lot 9. Paul Bentley, applicant, in accordance with the plot plan and information submitted with standard stipulations.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Carros

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, and Fisk.

Against: None.

Abstained: None.

The application is approved.

9. Application 1926 - Wetlands Application for use of wetland to install 5 ft. high chain link fence with tension wire. Will avoid the use of the cemented posts and opt for a more environmentally friendly option. No gate access to the wetlands area. The purpose of the fence is for the safety reasons as the property is located near a busy road at 65 Cedar Ridge; Assessor's Map 8; Lot 19; Monika Wojtowicz, applicant.

The Commission received the following items in their electronic packets: five photographs, undated

Chairman Fisk requested staff member Noble, P.E., Environmental Engineer, to advise the Commission regarding whether Application #1926 should be considered complete. Staff member Noble, P.E., advised that Application #1926 should be considered complete.

MOTION: Move to receive Application #1926.

By: Carros

Seconded: Robinson

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, and Fisk.

Against: None.

Abstained: None.

The application is received.

Monika and Krystof Wojtowicz, 65 Cedar Ridge, presented their request to install a chain link fence with tension wire through a section of conserved wetland contained within their property.

Staff member Noble, P.E., advised the Commission she was uncertain of the legality of considering the request. She offered to work with the Applicants in formulating a different solution which would be permissible, then assist the Applicants to amend their application or submit a new one.

MOTION: Move to continue Application #1926 to provide Applicant additional time to work with Staff and allow the Commission to obtain pertinent recommendations, to be made by Corp. Council.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Rooks

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Massaro and Fisk.

Against: None.

Abstained: None.

The application is continued.

10. Application 1927 - - Wetlands Application to construct a ranch house and grading for wetlands mitigation at Lot 44, Valmore Road; Assessor's Map 53; Lot 44. Robert Loveland; applicant.

The Commission received the following items in their electronic packets: three photographs, undated.

Chairman Fisk requested staff member Noble, P.E., Environmental Engineer, to advise the Commission regarding whether Application #1927 should be considered complete. Staff member Noble, P.E., advised that Application #1927 should be considered complete.

MOTION: Move to receive Application #1927.

By: Carros

Seconded: Robinson

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.

Against: None.

Abstained: None.

The application is received.

William Tracy, Esq., Furey, Donovan, Tracy & Daly, P.C., 43 Bellevue Ave, on behalf of the applicant, presented proposed changes to the previously approved site plan for 43 Bellevue Ave. Including: increasing the previously approved mitigation area and stormwater storage volume beyond the previous approval.

Staff member Noble, P.E., recommended approval with additional stipulations.

MOTION: Move to declare Application #1927 a significant activity.

By: Robinson

Seconded:

There was no second, the motion fell.

MOTION: Move to approve Application #1927 - Wetlands Application to construct a ranch house and grading for wetlands mitigation at Lot 44, Valmore Road; Assessor's Map 53; Lot 44. Robert Loveland; applicant, in accordance with the plot plan and information submitted with standard stipulations and additional stipulations are per Staff recommendation.

By: Panioto

Seconded: Carros

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, and Fisk.

Against: None.

Abstained: Robinson

The application is approved.

11. Application 1928 - Wetlands Application for site to be used for 45 days annually to store mulch and top soil on site. The maximum material on site would be approximately 150 cubic yards; Downs Street

parcel at Lot 93; Downs Street parcel; Assessor's Map 93; Lot 34. City of Bristol, Park and Recreation; Youth and Community Services Department, applicant.

The Board received the following item in their electronic packets: a memorandum dated April 23, 2021, from City of Bristol, Parks, Recreation and Youth and Community Services to the Inland Wetlands Commission.

Sarah Larson, Parks, Recreation and Youth and Community Services, 111 North Main Street, City of Bristol, on behalf of the applicant, explained proposed changes to the site to accommodate its utilization for annual mulch storage. Including removal of impervious surface, plantings for erosion control and stormwater retention.

Chairman Fisk requested staff member Noble to recommend whether application should be considered complete.

MOTION: Move to receive Application #1928.

By: Panioto

Seconded: Carros

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.

Against: None.

Abstained: None.

The application is received.

MOTION: Move to declare Application #1928 a non-significant activity.

By: Panioto

Seconded: Carros

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.

Against: None.

Abstained: None.

The application was declared a non-significant activity.

MOTION: Move to approve Application #1928 - Wetlands Application for site to be used for 45 days annually to store mulch and top soil on site. The maximum material on site would be approximately 150 cubic yards; Downs Street parcel at Lot 93; Downs Street parcel; Assessor's Map 93; Lot 34. City of Bristol, Park and Recreation; Youth and Community Services Department, applicant, in accordance with the plot plan and information submitted with standard stipulations, and additional stipulation as recommended by Staff.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Rooks

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.

Against: None.

Abstained: None.

The application is approved.

13. Application 1929 – Wetlands Application for a new in-ground swimming pool with approximately 500 square feet of concrete decking with fencing; 35 Oaken Road; Assessor's Map 56, Lot 4. Mary Cochran; applicant.

The Board received the following item in their electronic packets: a memorandum dated April 23, 2021, from City of Bristol, Parks, Recreation and Youth and Community Services to the Inland Wetlands Commission.

Chairman Fisk requested staff member Noble to recommend whether application should be considered complete.

MOTION: Move to receive Application #1929.

By: Panioto

Seconded: Carros

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk

Against: None.

Abstained: None.

The application is received.

Staff member Noble, P.E., informed the Commission 35 Oaken Road, doesn't not contain wetlands.

MOTION: Move to declare Application #1929 a non-significant activity.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Carros

For: Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.

Against: None.

Abstained: None

Commissioner Panioto was absent from the room during the vote.

The application was declared a non-significant activity.

MOTION: Move to approve Application #1929 – Wetlands Application for a new in-ground swimming pool with approximately 500 square feet of concrete decking with fencing; 35 Oaken Road; Assessor's Map 56, Lot 4. Mary Cochran; applicant, in accordance with the plot plan and information submitted.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Carros

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.

Against: None.

Abstained: None.

The application is approved.

It was the pleasure of the Commission to move to item 16. Land Preservation.

Mary Rydingsward, representing the Pequabuck River Watershed Association, presented three properties and requested the Commission endorse as goal acquisitions for conservation:

- 1.) 176 Marcia Drive
- 2.) Rt. 6/the Mohana Property
- 3.) The former site of "Nuchie's", at the intersection of East Main St. & Forestville

OLD BUSINESS

- 13.a. Administrative Application Form – Wetland
- 13.b. Inland Wetland Regulations, Proposed Amendments and Definitions

The Commission received the following items in their electronic packets: a revised Inland Wetlands Administrative Wetlands Permit, undated and a copy of the Inland Wetlands and Watercourses Regulations of the Conservation Commission of the City of Bristol, CT, Amended to: Effective Date: May 3, 2020, Adopted: August 13, 1973.

MOTION: Move to accept and move to a Public hearing proposed amendment adding:

p. "Pesticide" means "any substance or mixture of substances intended for preventing, destroying, repelling, or mitigating any pest, or any substance or mixture of substances intended for use as a plant regulator, defoliant or desiccant; as defined by CT General Statute Section 22a-47(w).

to the standard stipulations of Administrative Application Form – Wetland, applicant, in accordance with the plot plan and information submitted with standard stipulations.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Carros

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checoves, Massaro and Fisk.

Against: None.

Abstained: None.

The application was accepted.

Staff-Approved Applications/Unpublished

13. Administrative Applications Approved

App.# Approved Administrative	Street No.	Address	Purpose of App.
101906	106	Daisy Circle	shed
101907	114	Cronin Street	fence
101908	56	O'Sullivan Drive	Remove and replace deck
101909	15	Buckley Ave.	Placing shed on existing garage foundation. No fill.
101910	15	Crest Drive	10' x 10' toolshed
101911	96	Ridgecrest Lane	aboveground pool
101912	67	Chapel Street	aboveground pool
101913	52	Council Ring Drive	24' aboveground pool
101914	46	Tuttle Road	fence
101915	44	Iowa Place	2 LP gas tanks and new line to new generator
101916	86	Country Lane	replace existing pool
101917	91	Vantana Drive	Construction of a shed and skateboard ramp
101918	151	Ridgecrest Lane	fence
101919	747	747 Jerome Ave.	Lightly grading either side of driveway to allow mower easier access to cut grass
101920	43	43 Del Prado Dr.	Installing 18 ft. above ground pool; 70 ft. from wetlands; 2 ft. excavation on half of circumference of pool
101921	14	Willow Brook Rd.	Replace existing pool; above ground pool; identical pool/location; no fill needed
Floodplain Approved Administrative	Street No.	Address	Purpose of App.
21-461F-265	201	Terryville Road	for removal and disposal of (2) 6,000 gallon underground fuel tanks; area to be backfilled upon completion. Estimated time of completion 1-2 business days. Tank removals are required per the State of CT DEEP Storage Tank Enforcement Department
21-466F-267	91	Vantana Drive	Shed and skateboard ramp elevated on cinderblocks and anchored
21-458F-268	14	Willow St.	Above ground pool; no fill

MOTION: Move to place on file.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Carros

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.

Against: None.

Abstained: None.

The applications were place on file.

STAFF REPORTS:

14. IWEO Monthly Reports – April 2021 (Attached Inspection Report dated April 26, 2021 (attached letters.)

The Commission received the following items in their electronic packets: The Inland Wetlands Enforcement Officer’s report, dated April 26, 2021 and attached letters dated March 30, 2021, from Jason Gagnon, Environmental Protection Technician to Arianna Thibodeau; Tisha Theriault, dated April 14, 2021 and a letter dated April 14, 2021, to Raymond Castillo.

Jason Gagnon, Environmental Protection Technician

MOTION Move to file the report from the Inland Wetlands Zoning Enforcement Officer.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Carros

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.

Against: None.

Abstained: None.

The report is filed.

Conservation Commission

The Commission received the following items in their electronic packets:

16. A pamphlet, entitled The Voice of Local Conservation (NW Conservation District 2021.)

The Commission received the following item in their electronic packets: a pamphlet entitled, The Voice of Local Conservation, northwest Conservation District, Education Edition 2021, undated.

There were no action items.

COMMUNICATIONS:

17. Election of Officers

Chairman Fisk turned the meeting over to Secretary Sebastian Panioto.

NOMINATIONS:

For Chairman: Zachary Fisk was nominated by James Carros, seconded by Michael Robinson. Zachary Fisk accepted the nomination.

Zachary Fisk continued as Chair of the committee.

Secretary Sebastian Panioto turned the meeting over to Chairman Fisk.

Nomination for Vice-Chairman: Chet Reed was nominated by Michael Robinson and seconded by David Rook.

Chairman Fisk accepted the nomination on behalf of Chet Reed.

Chet Reed continued as Vice-Chair of the committee.

Nomination for Secretary: Sebastian Panioto was nominated by Michael Robinson and seconded by James Carros.
Sebastian Pantoto accepted the nomination.

18. FW \$50K-\$1M grants available for CT environmental projects (LIS FF)

The Commission received the following item in their electronic packets: an e-mail forwarded from Commissioner Chet Reed, to Carol Noble, P.E., regarding a \$50,000 to \$1,000,000 grant available for CT environmental projects (LIS FF) from Meghan (Ruta) Lally, Water Monitoring Group, CT Department of Energy & Environmental Protection, regarding Long Island Sound Future grant opportunity.

There were no action items.

19. Monthly Reports – 50 Terryville Avenue
a. April 15, 2021

The Commission received the following item in their electronic packets: a monthly Soil Erosion and Sediment Control Inspection Report, dated April 15, 2021, from David Hughes, P.E., L.S.

MOTION Move to file the Monthly Reports – 50 Terryville Ave.

By: Panioto

Seconded: Carros

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.

Against: None.

Abstained: None.

The report is filed.

20. Communications - Notice to Municipality Dam Safety GP

The Commission received the following item in their electronic packets: a ConnDEEP Notice to Municipality, Intent to Conduct Regulated Activities Authorized by a Dam Safety General Permit, Form IWRD-DSGP- 014-015-016 Notice, dated April 22, 2021, from Carol Noble, P.E., Environmental Engineer.

MOTION Move to file the report from ConnDEEP Notice to Municipality.

By: Panioto

Seconded: Carros

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.

Against: None.

Abstained: None.

The report is filed.

21. Application #1891 – Barnum Road –Willow Industries Maintenance Reports
a. April 20, 2021
b. April 12, 2021
c. April 5, 2021

The Commission received the following item in their electronic packets: three monthly inspection maintenance reports, respectively, dated April 20, 2021, April 12, 2021 and April 5, 2021, from Schultz Corporation, respectively.

MOTION Move to file the report Application #1891 – Barnum Road –Willow Industries Maintenance Reports.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Carros

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.
Against: None.
Abstained: None.

The report was filed.

- 22. Application #1593 – Cedar Hill Subdivision – Bristol Crossings
 - a. March 23, 2021 Inspection Report
 - b. April 28, 2021, Inspection Report
 - c.

MOTION Move to file the reports Application #1593 – Cedar Hill Subdivision – Bristol Crossings – March 23, 2021 and April 28, 2021 Inspection Reports.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Carros

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.
Against: None.
Abstained: None.

The report was filed.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: Move to adjourn at 10:50 P.M.

By: Robinson

Seconded: Carros

For: Panioto, Robinson, Carros, Kelly, Rooks, Checovetes, Massaro and Fisk.
Against: None.
Abstained: None.

This meeting was taped.

Respectfully submitted,
Robin Klug

Zachary Fisk, Chairman
Inland Wetlands Commission

Sebastian Panioto, Secretary