

CONSERVATION COMMISSION



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GREENFIELD CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Minutes of October 27, 2009

7:00 p.m.

Greenfield Police Station
321 High Street

The meeting was called to order by Chair Alex Haro at 7:09 p.m. with the following members:

PRESENT: Alex Haro, Chair; Tim Mosher, Vice-chair; Dee Letourneau; Tom DeHoyos

ABSENT: None

Also present: Ralph Kunkel, Conservation Agent, Nancy Hazard and Ted Watt

Approval of Minutes: September 22, 2009

MOTION: Moved by Letourneau, seconded by Mosher, and voted 4-0 to accept the minutes of September 22, 2009 as submitted.

Approval of Minutes: October 13, 2009

MOTION: Moved by DeHoyos, seconded by Letourneau, and voted 3-0 (Mosher abstained) to accept the minutes of October 13, 2009 as submitted.

Public Meetings/Hearings: None

Other Business: APR on Town Farm

Ted Watt, of *Just Roots*, and Nancy Hazard, of *Greening Greenfield* and *Just Roots*, were present.

As the Mayor was not present the Commission voted to table the APR on the Town Farm until the next meeting, November 10, 2009.

MOTION: Moved by DeHoyos, seconded by Mosher, and voted 3-0 (Letourneau abstained) to table the discussion of the APR on the Town Farm to November 10, 2009.

Christy Moore, Recreation Department, Town of Greenfield - Request for Certificate of Compliance for the Swim Area.

Haro reviewed the site visit of October 26, 2009 with the Project Engineer, Brock Cutting. The

Commission Members agreed the project was completed with substantial compliance.

MOTION: Moved by Letourneau, seconded by DeHoyos, and voted 4-0 to issue a Certificate of Compliance for the Order of Conditions issued to the Town of Greenfield for DEP File #168-0259.

The Greenfield Wetlands Protection Ordinance: Members of the Commission discussed a procedure for reviewing the Local Ordinance and comparing each section with the MACC model and the Ordinances and By-laws of Greenfield's peer towns and cities. Mosher gave a report on Part I: Purpose.

Project Monitoring: Kunkel reported that Eric Nelson of SVE, the environmental monitor for the site clean-up at Wetland #4 at the Mackin site, 145 Gill Road, has turned in weekly assessments of the erosion control devices in place. Haro asked Kunkel to arrange a site visit to see the site before the first snow fall.

Kunkel said Frank Holmes, of Stantec, Project Engineer for Leyden Woods had called inquiring what the Commission would require if the ZBA recommended a fence along the southern border of the Leyden Woods property.

Kunkel said that Kathy Bridges had called to report a septic repair on Adams Road but there was no work in jurisdictional areas.

Enforcement Updates:

Site Visits:

Set Next Meeting Date: Greenfield Police Station, November 10, 2009, 7:00 p.m.

Adjournment:

MOTION: Moved by Letourneau, seconded by DeHoyos, and voted 4-0 to adjourn the meeting at 8:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Ralph Kunkel
Conservation Agent

Alex Haro
Chair