

Bridgewater Conservation and Inland Wetlands Commission
44 Main Street South, Bridgewater, Connecticut 06752
Approved Minutes of the Regular Meeting
Tuesday, June 16, 2009, 7:30 P.M.
Bridgewater Town Hall

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Chairman Bob Kelly.

Roll Call and Designation of Alternates:

Present: Alex McNaughton (alt.), Curtis Read, Vic Nelson, Strother Purdy, Greg Bollard, Frank Sproviero, Steve Berger, Denise Fitch (alt.), Bob Kelly

Minutes of the regular meetings held May 19, 2009: G. Bollard made a motion to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of May 19, 2009, as corrected. C. Read seconded. C. Read, V. Nelson, S. Purdy, G. Bollard, F. Sproviero, B. Kelly were in favor. S. Berger abstained.

Comments from the Public: none

Old Business:

1. Town of Bridgewater, Sarah Sanford Road East. Walking path at recreation center. G. Bollard spoke with the Chairman Recreation Commission to discuss this project. She expressed to him that the application will be withdrawn.
2. Holland Joint Venture, 137 New Milford Road East, driveway. Matt and Chris Holland were present for this application. Chris Holland reported that they are hiring new consultants and will withdraw their application. They will return with a new site plan and new application. The commission will waive the fee for the future application.

New Business:

1. Bridgewater Fire Department, 100 Main Street South, drainage. Fire Chief A.J. Murphy presented this application to the commission. The fire department is proposing to upgrade the existing grading. Presently the pond at the south end of the fair grounds overflows onto the fair grounds. They are proposing a headwall with a fixed pipe. S. Purdy expressed concern that there was no report from a soil scientist or an engineer. G. Bollard asked that the pipe sizing and the headwall be done by a professional. V. Nelson felt there should be some way to retain the water from the pond. C. Read stated that the water starts above the pond and runs down across the street through Warner Road and eventually ending up in the brook on Hat Shop. The Fire Department needs a long term plan. What they are proposing now is only maintenance. He will contact Sean Hayden from the Northwest Conservation District. C. Read made a motion that this was a use as of right, the maintenance of the drainage system, and the work can proceed at this time. S. Purdy seconded. Discussion followed about the proposed hydrant. Unanimous approval.

Enforcement: K. Vaughn was not present.

Procedural Matters: none.

Other Business: none

Adjourn: A. McNaughton made a motion to adjourn. S. Purdy seconded. Unanimous approval at 8:20 p.m. The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Lois Carreira
Land Use Coordinator