

# Pembroke Conservation Commission

## Meeting Minutes

June 13, 2016

In attendance: Carol Bertsimas (Vice), Ayn Whytemare, Brian Mrazik, Steve Fowler, Mike Crockwell (BOS rep), Brent Edmonds (PB rep) Jenny Manzelli. Absent: David Baril, Ammy Heiser  
Merrimack River Watershed Council: Caroly Shumway, Tim Fleury

### 1. Call to Order @7:10 pm

### 2. Merrimack River Watershed: Caroly Shumway and Tim Fleury

Have an ongoing project with US Forest Service, NRWA, UNH Cooperative Extension, and others. Was very polluted 40 years ago, but factory dumping and others have been cleaned up so it is much better. Now in threatened because so much private forest land in the watershed *could* be developed rapidly and change the way water drains downstream. Purpose of presentation to show us what information they have in terms of ordinance management with municipalities to help with planning, drinking water protection and wildlife protection. Overall goals to get eroded shorelines planted and shorelines permanently protected.

### 3. Planning Board Applications

a. **WSD Properties at 779 Silver Hills Dr.** Dennison Cabinets wants to erect another building to store materials. Needs a waiver to do this because it is within the Aquifer Conservation District. Ayn moved we accept and strongly encourage the area from the wetland buffer to the wetland edge to be planted with woody (not grass) vegetation the length of the building. Carol seconded. All in favor with Mike and Brent abstaining.

### 4. DES Applications and Letters Not known, tabled for next year.

5. **Review and Approve Minutes~ May 9<sup>th</sup>** Steve moved to accept with minor corrections, Jenny seconded. All in favor.

### 6. Conservation Lands

a. **Beck** Kelloway has received the letter regarding items placed on Conservation Land. Carol will check on Brendan Fish's property.

b. **Butterfield** Unknown whether the owner of the deer stand has been contacted or not, if not moved by next month we should remove it. Other garbage still needs to be removed.

### 7. Potential Acquisitions

a. **Sixth Range Road Parcel** BOS Meeting Monday, Mike will bring it up.

b. **Plourde Parcel** No further information.

c. **Other** Jenny drafted a letter for McCormick of Pembroke Pines to suggest putting some land in conservation.

ACTION ITEM: Jenny will circulate her letter for comment. May include invitation to share his vision of the property with us.

### 8. Other Business

a. **Northern Pass Update** Ammy sent in the wetland permit comments.

b. **Natural Resource Inventory** What happens when information changes from what he initially documented?

ACTION ITEM: Ayn will contact Rick VandePol about this.

### 9. Mail and Correspondences None known of.

### 10. Adjournment 8:43pm

NEXT MEETING JULY 11<sup>TH</sup>