

Minutes of Regular Meeting of
The Conservation Commission
City of Milford
October 18, 2006

1. Roll Call: William Sahlmann, Carol Dunn, Oden Seaholm, Sheila Woodlock, John Vanacore, Judy Weyent and Barbara Hilli.
2. Review of previous meeting's minutes – Carol Dunn made a few changes to the portion of the Gulf Street bridge minutes.
3. New Business
 - a. 35-80 White Oak Terrace, 46 Units of multi-family residential housing- Bill will contact Mary Rose Palumbo to see when an Inlands & Wetlands site visit will be taking place.
4. Old Business
 - a. Gulf Street bridge – Carol Dunn spoke to Steve from the DOT regarding the fact that there doesn't seem to be a lot of cleaning up going on. However, the large mound of earth has been moved by Beard for cleaning and reusing purposes. The parking lot will be covered with crushed stone and will not be paved. More oyster shells will also be put on the parking lot along with the crushed stone. The fence that was broken during bridge construction will be fixed and weeds will be cut back. Carol also reported that there is still one Osprey in site #2 (a migratory bird). The construction trailers are very close to being taken away. Carol will get Steve's business card so she can keep in touch with him. Sheila had a concern about the yellow road markings on the bridge; she feels that the markings need to be extended. Bill suggested calling the traffic division of the police department to make them aware of this. Carol said she would do this.
 - b. Eisenhower Park – nothing new to report – will keep on top of this situation.
 - c. Broadwater LNG Import Terminal – nothing new on this.
 - d. Mondo Ponds – Judy Weyent did a walk through by the big pond. Oden mentioned that the bridge between Pond 2 & 3 is in bad shape, but he said the town has been mowing. He also mentioned that there are a few homeowners that border Mondo Ponds that do a lot of clean up.
 - e. CACIWC - Five members of the Conservation Commission will be attending the CACIWC annual meeting on Saturday, November 4th.

5. Correspondence – Bill handed out copies of the CACIWC newsletter and passed around the “Sail and Water” newsletter.
6. Chairperson’s Report – Bill has submitted his resignation to the mayor. He pointed out that Barbara Hill, Judy Weyent and Oden Seaholm all have terms that expire on December 31, 2006 and should send a note to the mayor requesting their terms be extended. Judy Weyent announced that she will not be continuing on the commission once her term expires. Bill asked if she would compose a letter to the mayor informing him of this.

Bill also briefly went over the procedure for January’s meeting. He will go over this in greater detail at the November meeting. He also spoke to the members about considering becoming Chairperson of the Conservation Commission and some of the duties of the position.

Oden asked about the ECC meeting being held Thursday, October 19th and the discussion the commission had regarding forming a consortium. Judy was going to call Ann Berman (since Letty Malone is in the hospital) regarding this and notify Sheila, Oden and Barbara.

7. The next meeting will take place on November 15, 2006.
8. The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Patricia Berberich
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