Minutes of the Special Meeting and Site Walk of the Inland Wetlands Agency held on June 07, 2016 at 553 West Avenue, Milford, CT

A. Roll Call

Present: Cathy Collins, Jim Connors, Ken Cowden, Dave DeFlumeri, Carol Dunn, Brendan

Magnan, Steve Munson and Philip Zetye.

Absent: Lily Flannigan and Daniel Schopick.

Also Present: Mary Rose Palumbo, Lisa Streit, Mike Doherty of Milone and McBroom and Steve

Johnson, Open Space Coordinator

Collins called the meeting to order at 5:15 p.m. and reminded everyone that this is a Public Meeting and all questions must go through the Chair and there can be no discussion other than location of the proposed work in relation to the wetlands line. All other questions must be taken up at the next meeting on June 15th.

A motion was made by Connors, seconded by DeFlumeri that the MIWA act as a committee as a whole and to adjourn after the last question is answered. The motion carried unanimously.

B. Old Business

1. IW-A-16-032: 553 West Avenue, Kingdom Life Church/City of Milford – proposed replacement boardwalk and nature trail with construction, grading and filing in and within 150' of wetlands in the Beaver Brook Watershed.

The IWA met at the Hotel 6's rear property adjacent to the cell tower.

It was a sunny, seasonable day.

MaryRose reminded everyone that this is a formal meeting and everyone needs to stay together while viewing the property and there can be no discussion other than the location of the wetlands line in relation to the proposed site improvements.

MaryRose oriented the plan to the site and the Agency proceeded to the bridge on the site. The Agency walked the bridge to the burnt out area following the existing path. It was noted that the trees with bark loss would be removed.

The Agency reconvened at Stran Road and walked over to the site on West Avenue. Doherty oriented the site to the plan. The Agency walked to the proposed rain garden area and reviewed the plan; comparing the existing verses the proposed.

Johnson stated that Grillo Brothers flagged the area for their project and gave their permission to use the wetland flagging for this project.

The Agency proceeded to walk towards the proposed paved area then to the bridge over the drainage swale and to the boardwalk to the point of destruction before the Iroquois pipeline area.

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The area of the proposed new boardwalk was viewed as well as the transition from the trail to the boardwalk.

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned at 6:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Lisa Streit

These minutes have not been accepted or approved.