



PAXTON CONSERVATION COMMISSION
MEETING MINUTES
March 11, 2021

Approved 4/8/21

Location and Time: Remote ZOOM Meeting 7:00pm-7:34pm

7:00 PM Meeting opened

Attendance:

Commissioners:, Mike Voorhis, Vice Chairman; Bob Ferguson, Commissioner; Jim Robert, Commissioner; Donmarie Desrosiers, Commissioner; Holly Robert, Assoc. Member.

Others present: Mia McDonald, Cons. Agent

Absent: Lenny Anderson, Chairman

Vice Chairman Voorhis read aloud the remote meeting guidelines.

Minutes of the February meeting were reviewed. BF noted that the details on the septic system replacement at 23 Burtenmar Circle needed clarification. JR motioned, DD seconded and by roll call BF, MV, DD & JR voted in favor of accepting the minutes with changes.

Bills:

Payroll \$648.90 for February for a total of \$648.90 for Mia McDonald

JR motioned, DD seconded and by roll call BF, MV, DD & JR voted in favor of paying the bill.

Public Hearings: None

Request for Certificate of Compliance –

Request for Certificate of Compliance for 13 Suomi Street (Map 12, Parcel 15,) DEP File #257-029, 4/17/2007. This was a garage addition within existing lawn area. MM visited the site and it was constructed as approved. JR motioned, DD seconded and by roll call BF, MV, DD & JR voted in favor of issuing the Certificate of Compliance.

Request for Certificate of Compliance for 5 Olivia Knoll, fka Lot 2, Map 11, Parcel 16H, DEP File #257-0319, 7/11/2019. MM visited the site in June 2020 and confirmed it was constructed as approved and the grass had grown. Recent visit under snow. JR motioned, DD seconded and by roll call BF, MV, DD & JR voted in favor of issuing the Certificate of Compliance.

Request for Certificate of Compliance for 226 Richards Ave, fka Lot 1, Map 17, Parcel 31A, DEP File #257-0301, 8/8/2016. MM visited the site in June 2020 and the lawn had been hydroseeded but not yet grown in. Recent visit was under snow. JR stated that the grass has grown in since June. MM confirmed the site was constructed as originally approved and an as-built has been received. JR motioned, DD seconded and by roll call BF, MV, DD & JR voted in favor of issuing the Certificate of Compliance.

Correspondence:

Letter from MassDOT re: Environmental Notification Form for reduction of services over 10%.

Informal Discussion:

A Friends of Moore State Park meeting happened for February 25 at 7pm via Zoom. Commissioners, Steve Hair, Anita & Rich Fenton, Colin Novick of GWLT and Kevin Hollenbeck of DCR attended and discussed the volunteer service agreement to be drafted.

Sites Visited:

13 Suomi Street – site inspection for COC request.
5 Olivia Knoll - site inspection for COC request.
226 Richards Ave - site inspection for COC request.

Reminder of Upcoming Meeting Dates (confirm quorum): Thursday, April 8 and May 13..

JR motioned and DD seconded and JR, DD, B and MV voted by roll call to close the meeting. The meeting was adjourned at 7:34PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Mia McDonald, 
Agent for the Conservation Commission

Reference Documents:

*As noted in the minutes, on file with the Paxton Conservation Commission.

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