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Meeting Minutes

Date: February 15, 2023 | Time: 6:30 P.M. | via Zoom Meeting

Present: Ronald Stead, Paul DiCicco, Christopher Weagle, Jeff Raymond

Absent: Raymond Keddy

6:30 P.M. Chairman Stead opened the meeting at 6:30 PM

Minutes-

Review of minutes from meeting on February 1, 2023. A motion to approve minutes as written was made by Mr. DiCicco, seconded by Mr. Weagle. All in favor, motion approved.

Public Hearing- Notice of Intent Westec Drive LLC & IDIAM LLC/ John Direnzo 135, 137, 139 & 141 Worcester- Providence Turnpike

The Public Hearing above requested to continue to the next scheduled meeting on Wednesday, March 1, 2023. A motion to continue to March 1, 2023 was made by Mr. Raymond and seconded by Mr. Weagle. All in favor, motion approved.

Public Hearing- Notice of Intent Lincoln Bordeaux 31 Tainter Hill Road

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New Business:

Public Meeting - Request for Determination of Applicability National Grid- Q143N-R144N Line Right-of-Way **Providence Street 110**

Allison Milliman, BSC Group, represented the applicant, National Grid/NEPC. Ms. Milliman explained that most of the work was within a 100x100' area in the 100' buffer zone and that mostly overhead line work was proposed. A temporary bridge-like structure would be in place to get equipment in the work area. Mitigation measures would be in place prior to the start of work, including fiber rolls, silt fencing, and hay bales. Clean up and regrading after the work is completed. Mr. Stead asked if any trees in the work area would need to be cut down, Ms. Milliman replied not for this project. Motion to close public meeting by Mr. DiCicco and seconded by Mr. Raymond. All in favor, motion approved. A motion to issue a Negative Determination of Applicability was made by Mr. DiCicco and seconded by Mr. Raymond. All in favor, motion approved.

Other Business:

It was noted that minutes can be approved by Board members even if they were not in attendance of that meeting because they have the capability of watching the meetings as they are recorded, as well as the meeting minutes are for their review in written form in their meeting Drop Boxes.

Mr. McCormack reminded that the State Ethics Training needs to be completed by Commission members by April 15, 2023.

As of February 27, 2023, Don Flynn will start as the Town's new part-time Conservation Agent. He has been working as a consultant for the Commission for a couple years but will no longer be overseeing those projects effective immediately.

Mr. Stead clarified that at the last meeting there was discussion of putting on an agenda item to start a discussion of a a local wetlands bylaw. That topic will be on the next agenda for the March 1,2023 meeting.

Next Meeting-Wednesday, March 1, 2023, at 6:30P.M.

Mr. Raymond made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:50 p.m., seconded by Mr. DiCicco. All in favor, motion approved.

Respectfully submitted,

Jackie Schold, Clerk

Millbury Conservation Commission

Ronald Stead

Paul DiCicco

Jeff Raymond

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