

Town of Wallingford, Connecticut

WALLINGFORD CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Wallingford Town Hall 45 South Main Street Wallingford, CT 06492

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SPECIAL MEETING Room 315, Town Hall 45 South Main Street Wallingford, CT

Thursday, December 9, 2021, 6:00 p.m.

AGENDA

1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A. Special Meeting, Nov. 4, 2021

2. PROPERTY MANAGEMENT

A. Tyler Mill Preserve

- 1. Stewards of Tyler Mill report, D. Saunders & D. Lendler
- 2. Bat boxes installation
- 3. Green Trail repair & footbridge report
- 4. Kiosk signage
- 5. Other reports

B. Fresh Meadows

- 1. Peninsula by southern parking area entrance
- 2. Trail stone dust restoration & storm Ida trail bed damage update
- 3. Dogwood tree replacement
- 4. Other
- C. 205 Main Street open space property
 - 1. Trespass fencing update
- **D. Beseck Meadows**
 - 1. Bamboo cutting & private encroachment by bamboo update
 - 2. Access road erosion, minor dumping, vegetation by gate
- E. Beseck Mountain
 - 1. Cliffside Drive trail restrict ATVs update
 - 2. Yard waste dumping
- F. Praegmann Park fence repair
- G. Property Reports: Doolittle Park-staff; Fresh Meadows-J. Borne; 205 Main St., Yalesville-B. Sammis
- H. 155 Grieb Road trespass, dumping report, staff
- I. Dumping ordinance relative to Town open space properties
- J. Proposed Ecological Assessments Professional Services-Natural Resources
- K. Other properties

3. TRAIL COMMITTEE REPORT, J. Lathrop

4. COMMITTEES

- A. Committees
- **B.** Committee roles
- 5. FARMLAND LEASE PROPERTIES PROGRAM
 - A. Farmland Lease Committee

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- 2. Conservation management by contractors
- B. Field 1A, No. Branford Rd. conservation maintenance issue
- C. Field 7A, Northford Rd. hunter parking proposal
- D. Fields 7B, 7C, 7D, off Anderson Rd. gate
- E. Field 7F, off Northford Rd. mowing
- F. Field 18A, 995 C East Center St. Eversource Transmission Upgrade Project
- G. Extensions: 1A, 1C, 1D, 6A, 6B, 13A & 20A
- H. Other

6. EXECUTIVE SESSION

- A. Executive Session pursuant to CT General Statutes Sect. 1-225(f) and Sect. 1-200(6) for the discussion of the selection of real estate for possible purchase
- 7. OFFICIAL OPEN SPACE MAP review revised/updated map
- 8. QUINNIPIAC UNIVERSITY STUDENT VOLUNTEERS, 'The Big Event', April 9, 2022 proposal

9. REPORTS / CORRESPONDENCE

- A. CT DEEP Open Space and Watershed Land Acquisition Grant Application, Stevens property, 264 Williams Road - staff
- B. POCD Implementation Committee status report, staff
- C. CT Bird Atlas survey report, staff
- D. DEEP The Urban Forestry Climate Change Grant Program, deadline Feb.1, 2022; received 11/22/21
- E. 2022 General Assembly Session discussion regarding possible legislative proposals; received 11/22/21
- 10. NEXT MEETING January 13, 2022

11. ADJOURNMENT

Individuals in need of auxiliary aids for the effective communication in programs and services of the Town of Wallingford are invited to make their needs and preferences known to the ADA Compliance Coordinator at 203-294-2070 five days prior.

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