WILLINGTON CONSERVATION COMMISSION MEETING

12/18/2019

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order @ 7:05 PM.


Approval of Minutes 11/20/19: On a motion by KD/RS, the minutes of 11/20/19 were approved: 4 ayes, 3 abstentions (CJ, JK).

Present to Speak: NA

Finance: There is approximately $347.00 remaining in the FY19/20 budget. On a motion by CJ/KD, “WCC under consideration will increase our request for more funding by $200.00 in the FY20/21 budget cycle.” Unanimous vote.

On a motion by MS/KD Item VII. A. 2020-2021 CIP plan is moved to Finance, unanimous vote. On a motion by MS/KD, “WCC will not submit a proposal for funding to CIP for 2020/21”. Unanimous vote.

Old Business / Status Reports

A. Easement /Property Monitoring: Forester J. Kulig has not scheduled the property boundary monitoring on town owned Open Space parcels located on Daleville School and Pinecrest Roads.

B.Cadlerock brownfields assessment. PA presented an overview of the 12/9/2019 public hearing that reported on the environmental study of the Cadlerock property brownfields. A grant proposal will be submitted for remediation of the site, and DEEP will submit a report on the brownfields assessment.

C. Properties Management
   2. Knowlton Preserve/Talmadge Tract: Tabled

D. Town Development: The Love’s Travel Stop’s re-application to PZC public hearing was held on 12/10/19. Committee members who attended gave a report.

E. Collaborative Organization News & Communication: None.

F. Open space land considerations: Strategies and open space land opportunities were discussed.

G. Procedures and use of memorial gifts: Tabled

H. Other: None

VII New Business

A. 2020-2021 CIP: Item moved to Finance.

C. Communications: None

D. Other: R. Shabot reported on an herbicide (Garlon 3A) that is EPA approved to apply to invasive species near waterways.


Adjournment: Meeting adjourned @ 8:40 PM.

Minutes submitted by Marilyn Schreiber, Recording Secretary