



TOWN OF PUTNAM

TOWN HALL
200 SCHOOL STREET
PUTNAM, CONNECTICUT 06260

Inland Wetland Commission Meeting Hybrid Meeting Minutes

December 11, 2024, 7:00 P.M.

Municipal Complex Room 201 Second Floor

Present: Adam Paquin, Chairman-via zoom, Walter Irwin, Mike Bogdanski, Theodore Altmeier

Absent: Cynthia Dunne

Regular Meeting:

Review minutes of the November 13, 2024, meeting.

Motion by Theodore Altmeier to accept the minutes, second by Walter Irwin. ALL WERE IN FAVOR.

Review minutes of the November 17, 2024, special meeting.

Motion by Walter Irwin to accept the minutes, second by Theodore Altmeier. ALL WERE IN FAVOR.

Correspondence Received:

Siting Council – Proposed solar field in the Town of Killingly

Cuddy & Feder, LLP – Proposed radio transmission tower in the Town of Woodstock

Public Participation: None

New Business:

On-Site Inspection-379 Liberty Highway

Mike Bogdanski abstained as he was not present at the onsite inspection.

Theodore Altmeier discussed with the Commission how the area that was previously inspected by the Commission is a completely different scenario now with the ongoing rain and the dry area has accumulated at least two feet of water and could reach up to three feet. The dry area is now a pond. Bruce Fitzback informed the Commission that he recently spoke to Robert Comtois who lives in Arizona. The vehicles were removed from his father's home after his passing and were located on his property prior to the sale of his father's home. His plans are to return to Connecticut in the spring or early summer to go through what is located on the property and discard what he does not want. Theodore Altmeier stated it was a salvage yard. Bruce Fitzback disagreed. Theodore Altmeier stated that the Zoning Commission is scheduled for an on-site inspection on Saturday December 14, 2024, at 10:00 A.M.

Motion by Walter Irwin to table, second by Mike Bogdanski, Adam Paquin, Walter Irwin, and Mike Bogdanski voted in favor. Theodore Altmeier abstained as he was the complainant. Motion passed.

Other Business:

Review of By-Laws

Motion by Mike Bogdanski to table, second by Walter Irwin. ALL WERE IN FAVOR.

Accepting of new applications for January 8, 2025, meeting. None

Agent Updates:

Bruce Fitzback is requesting confirmation from J & D Civil Engineers that a contract is in place with Mr. Phongsa for their services regarding the violation at 601 & 603 School Street.

Comments by Commissioners-None

Motion by Mike Bogdanski to adjourn at 7:25 P.M., second by Theodore Altmeier. ALL WERE IN FAVOR.

Respectfully submitted by Brenda Roy.

Please note these minutes have not been accepted by the Commission and will be placed on their next meeting agenda