

MIDDLEFIELD TOWN HALL CONSERVATION COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES 2022/04/13

Members present: Chair Carol Waag, Kim Baker, Mitch Feldmesser, David Fuller and Wayne

Main(recused himself from voting).

Present: Barry & Meghan Bernard and Jeffrey Smith, Field Scientist

Meeting began at 6:01

RDA: Determination: 85 Chipman Rd. driveway and culvert within buffer zone. Jeffrey Smith stated that performance standards will be met on the banks of the stream, starting out with planting annual winter rye. Two large culverts together should be adequate for containing the flow. After review, the Board requested that the specific numbers of plantings be written out, the removal of plastic silt fence be noted as well as a follow-up site visit for inspection. The Chair asked for a motion. Mitch arrived and was brought up to date. Kim motioned to proceed with the determination, David 2nd. The Chair motioned to add the word negative to the ongoing motion. Kim 2nd. Vote 4-0. The Board wrote out the negative determination. Mitch questioned the procedure to make the determination and refused to sign. Carol Waag, Kim Baker and David Fuller signed the negative determination.

6:30 The Con Com discussed new business as Wayne Main and Alt Barry Bernard rejoined the meeting **MINUTES**: David motioned to approve the March 17, 2022 minutes as amended, Kim 2nd. Vote 5-0. Mitch motioned to approve the March 25 minutes as amended. Kim 2nd. Vote 5-0.

BROCHURE: The Chair put together a brochure taken from the website that will include photographs and card stock. The brochure was reviewed. Changes were discussed. Assessor Laura Lafreniere has agreed to pass the brochures out to new property owners.

Kim motioned to adjourn at 6:55, David 2nd. Vote 5-0.

Next meeting: May 4 at 6:00

Respectfully submitted,

Suzanne C. Lemieux