

Town of Westminster

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FROM THE OFFICE OF THE

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

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MINUTES of MEETING August 24, 2017

To: Selectmen

Board of Health

Building Commissioner

Planning Board

Highway Department

Town Clerk

Present: Chairman Dan Bartkus, Members: Robert Gendron, Carrie Monty, Secretary

Susan Kalagher, and Agent Bob Maki

Absent: Tim Sheehan, Gary Smith

Guests: Chris Mossman

Documents, Plans and other Exhibits

- 1. Plan 6 Minott Road
- 2. Plan 60 Sargent Road
- 3. Photo 200 State Road West

Dan Bartkus opened the meeting at 7:00 p.m. The meeting was not being recorded.

Minutes, Mail, Voucher

Mail was read and distributed.

The Minutes of July 13, 2017 were approved and signed.

A voucher for Bob Maki for mileage in the amount of \$74.37 was approved.

NOI 6 Minott Road Lipowczan

7:10 p.m. The public hearing for the Notice of Intent requested by George Lipowczan for the construction of a new single family house at 6 Minott Road was opened. Chris Mossman represented the applicant, submitted proof of notification of abutters, and gave the overview of the project. An Order of Conditions was issued on September 2011 for the installation of the

driveway (#336-0707). The driveway has been built and the Order is valid until September 2018. An Order of Conditions was also issued in 2005, but work was never started and that Order was not recorded and has expired. Work within the buffer zone will be limited to grading for the house and the septic system. After review, the project was unanimously approved. The public hearing was closed at 7:15 p.m.

RFD 60 Sargent Road Cruz

The public meeting for the installation of a new septic system to serve an existing house at 60 Sargent Road was opened. The applicants, Pedro and Josie Cruz, were represented by Chris Mossman. Some of the grading will be within the 100 ft. buffer zone. After review, the plan was unanimously approved. The public meeting was closed at 7:20 p.m.

Certificate of Compliance

The following Certificate of Compliance was approved based on recommendation by Bob Maki:

1. 66 Ashburnham State Road / Girouard / #336-0549

Enforcement Order

The following Enforcement Order was signed based on recommendation by Bob Maki after showing a photo showing a stockpile within the wetland buffer zone. The Determination of Applicability for this site specifically stated that there shall be no stockpiling of soil or other materials within 50 ft. of the mitigation devices.

Conservation Agent Report

Bob Maki briefly discussed concerns with milfoil in Crocker Pond and paving that will take place between Narrows Road and Patricia Road.

Bob Maki will meet with Steve Wallace to discuss the open space off of Bean Porridge Hill Road.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Dan Bartkus Chairman (prepared by Susan Kalagher)