Sturbridge Conservation Commission

Meeting Agenda for Thursday, January 18, 2018 REVISED 1/12/18

Meeting will be held at the Sturbridge Center Office Building 301 Main Street, 2nd floor

6:00 PM-- Open Meeting - Quorum check

Committee Updates: CPA, Trail Committee, and Lakes Advisory Committee

Winter Tree Scavenger Hunt Contest Winner Drawing

Walk-ins Paul & Patricia Huerto; 8 Birch Street: re installing a deck on existing sonotubes

Public Hearings

- Request for Determination of Applicability: 48 Farquhar Road; Guy Martel: construction of a shed in the buffer zone.
- Notice of Intent; DEP#300-tbd; 202 Lake Road; Wendy Stearns; raze and rebuild of single family home in the buffer zone.
- 6:45 Request for Determination of Applicability; 195 Arnold Road; Rapscallion Brewing; represented by EcoTec, Inc, for addition to existing building, along with associated site work and landscaping. *Continued from January 4, 2018 due to snowstorm.*
- 7:00 Notice of Intent; DEP#300-1004; 168 Lane Seven; Stephen Quink; represented by EcoTec, Inc; Repair and reconstruction of existing patio, fences, outdoor stairways, and removal of hazardous trees; in the buffer zone. *Continued from December 7, 2017*.
- 7:15 Notice of Intent: DEP #300-1005: 47 Seneca Lane: George & Rebecca Kondylis; raze & rebuild of single family home and garage in the buffer zone; Represented by EBT Environmental Consultants. *Continued from December 7, 2017.*
- 7:30 Request for Determination of Applicability; 129 Shore Road, Paul Girouard; represented by Joseph Coan, JCLA Design; removal of deck, install small patio and landscaping *Continued from January 4, 2018 due to snowstorm.*
- 7:45 Request for Determination of Applicability; 5 Cherry Brook Circle; David Rosen; installation of a fence and utility shed within riverfront area; Continued from January 4, 2018 due to snowstorm.

Letter Permits

- -- Tree Removal Application: 33 Woodlawn; Peter Savenko. Removal of 9 trees within buffer zone
- -- After the fact Letter Permit Application: 43 Draper Woods Rd. Construction of a small structure (children's fort) within the buffer zone.

Minor Amendments to Orders of Conditions

DEP File # 300-970; 22 Cedar Lake Drive; A. Dobson; request for a minor revision to existing OOCs to remove 2 additional trees.

Old Business

- Sturbridge Wetland Bylaw Regulations Proposed Revisions: discussion of comments received from Board of Selectmen
- Community Preservation Committee Letter

New Business

Conservation Land Special Use Application/Permit: Opacum Land Trust request to hold Full Moon Family Hike at Heins Farm – Pond Loop Trail – using temporary "storyboards"- these are staked into the ground (lawnsigns)- Hike is designed for young children; 5:30-7:00 pm.

Request for Extension of Orders of Conditions

DEP # 300-925; Walker Pond; Dept. of Conservation and Recreation; aquatic vegetation maintenance

Requests for Certificates of Compliance

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DEP #300-811; 14 Birch Street; E. Seman Jr
DEP #300-751; 76 South Shore Drive (aka 26 South Shore Drive); Peter Mimeault
DEP# 300-910; 114 Leadmine; Watsky
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Agent Report

Hamant Brook Update, Trail Parking Area Update, Plimpton shed, Office updates, SLAC document, Certified Arborist List Review

Approval of minutes: December 7, 2017

Adjourn

The items listed, which may be discussed at the meeting, are those reasonably anticipated by the Chair. Not all items listed may in fact be discussed and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law. For those items that will be discussed, the Conservation Commission will address its questions and concerns with a proponent before allowing the public to weigh in on the topic being discussed with the proponent. For public discussion of non-agenda items, such discussion will be handled during the Walk-in period or as allowed by the Chair.