

TOWN OF
STONEHAM
MASSACHUSETTS

Town Hall
35 Central Street

Stoneham Conservation Commission
781-279-2696

STONEHAM CONSERVATION COMMISSION
MINUTES OF MEETING
SEPTEMBER 18 2023 REMOTE 7 PM

Please join meeting <https://meet.goto.com/761809837>

Phone Access Code: 761-809-837 United States: [+1 \(872\) 240-3311](tel:+18722403311)

Domenick Cimina, Richard Jackson, Megan Day, Jessica Gerke, Alex Rozycki, Patrick Houghton, Herlinda Saitz, Becky, Ryan

CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE

19 Skyewood #297-0314

Charles Houghton

Request for Certificate of Compliance

Site visit 10/4 for 5:10pm. Becky new owner of property can be present. Domenick Cimina asks original plan and changed plan markers. Can 25 foot buffer be marked asked by Alex Rozycki? Houghton will relay request for wetland flags to be marked. Finalized as built should have engineer stamp. Photos are welcome as proof of plan as well per Alex Rozycki. Motion by Alex Rozycki to continue until October 16, 2023 seconded by Domenick Cimina. Roll Call Alex Rozycki, Megan Day, Richard Jackson, Domenick Cimina and Jessica Gerke yes 5/0

DISCUSSION

Open Space and Recreation Review

Review Conservation Commission's roles

Megan Day Spot Pond loop was supposed to involve Conservation Commission. Erin Wortman initiated and led process. Jessica Gerke mentions Town wide Conservation signage, Dikes Pond, and Barton Estate. Send letter of support to update 2018 7 year plan to Erin Wortman/Town Administrator to ask for a seat at the table. Megan Day says someone from Conservation Commission should be involved in the meetings for Spot Pond Trail. Alex Rozycki recommends Jen DeCourcy be copied on plans. Megan Day mentions 25 years ago the Spot Pond plan may have stopped the project. Alex Rozycki states Conservation should be more in the loop.

Whip Hill

Internet discussion

Currently no Town internet connection at Whip Hill. If we have a meeting at Whip Hill Stoneham TV would not currently be able to broadcast. Going forward how many meetings would we have there, is it worthwhile to have ongoing internet. Domenick Cimina mentions we could meet again at Town Hall. Megan Day under the impression that Conservation Commission would meet at Whip Hill. Megan Day thinks a public building should have internet. There may be other things that can happen at Whip Hill to make it an asset to the building. Richard Jackson would like internet at Whip Hill. Alex Rozycki comments that it provides service and adds to site accessibility and use. Herlinda Saitz mentions garden club has a few meetings there, meetings in the winter are a challenge because of weather.

Approve Meeting Minutes from August 28, 2023

Motion to approve by Alex Rozycki seconded by Domenick Cimina. Roll call Alex Rozycki, Richard Jackson, Domenick Cimina, Jessica Gerke yes 4/0

Next Meeting October 16, 2023 at Whip Hill

Motion to adjourn meeting by Alex Rozycki seconded by Domenic Cimina Roll call Alex Rozycki, Megan Day, Richard Jackson, Domenick Cimina and Jessica Gerke yes 5/0