



MONROE CONSERVATION AND WATER RESOURCES COMMISSION
MINUTES

General Meeting

Date: 4/6/2016

Next Meeting: May 4, 2016

Time: 7:00pm – 8:15pm

Place: Town Hall

Attendance: See Attendance Log Attached

Commission Chair: Karen Burnaska

Vice Chair: Marven Moss

Secretary: Beverly Doyle

Treasurer: Ryan Driscoll

Others present: Jeff Fulchino, Cynthia Giancaspro, Ellie Krevolin

Topic	Discussion	Recommendations/ Action	Responsible Person/Group	Follow- up Date
Review of minutes:	The draft minutes of the March 2, 2016 Meeting were unanimously approved.	The approved minutes will be sent to the Town Clerk.	Bev	
Announcements:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CT Deep Wildlife Magazine received and shared. • Soil & Water Conservation Newsletter received, Ellie to scan and share copy with group. • State of CT – notification that bridge on Rte. 111 near Ryegate will be widened. • NE Army Corps of Engineers sent package re: permits/federal clean water act. Karen to forward to Scott S. • MetroCog – Greater Bridgeport Region – reviewed info 		Karen	
Public Participation:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None 		All	
Liaison Reports	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None • IWC meets one time per month. • PZC meets three times per month. 	Members will monitor	Marven/Karen Ellie/Ryan/Karen	Ongoing
CTAC/Pequonnock River Watershed Initiative:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CTAC next meeting March 21, 2016. • Tree study was done, presentation is interactive, will try to get Matt Fulda to present to Town (Sr. Center or Library) – need dates. 		Marven / Karen	Ongoing
Land Trust:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Barbara Thomas & Cynthia Giancaspro will co-present lawn care program at 		Marven / Bev	Ongoing

	<p>Library on May 10th</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Arbor Day is 4/29/16, package including chestnuts and information to be distributed to 7th grade students at CHS. 			
Land Use Applications:	<p>The Commission will continue to review applications.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 716 Wheeler Road, new subdivision (2 lots on corner of Hammertown Rd). No action by CC. 34 Enterprise Dr, All Star Transportation – PZC meeting 4/7 @ 7pm, Karen & Marven will try to attend 		All	Ongoing
Old Business:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Walk Wiley property. 1609 Monroe Tpke. Date is 4/30 at 9am. National Trails Day Hike – June 4, 2016 - Conservation Commission, Monroe Land Trust & Tree Conservancy & Monroe Parks & Rec to co-sponsor. Marven will ask Tanya to post to Monroe Website & Face Book. Ryan offered to help w/website – to get minutes added, and keep more current. 			
New Business:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2017, Ellie to check with Principal Kobza/Aqua Culture regarding getting Monroe students qualified to do water sampling as 2016 is last year for grant to cover this. Naitonal Park Service – grant to apply for assistance regarding Greenway and our dream to connect trails in Monroe/Shelton/Trumbull and Bridgeport (Paugasette/Indian Wells 			

	Rails to Trails (15+/-miles!)			
CWRC Budget:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2017 budget passed - \$1,000! 			
Other:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 			
Agenda Items for next meeting:	Pending Applications		All	
Next Meeting:	May 4, 2016		Bev	

*Conservation Commission Meeting Schedule – 2016

January 6

February 3

March 2

April 5

May 4

June 1

July 6

August 3

September 7

October 5

November 2

December 7

January 4, 2017

Meetings will be held in the Monroe Town Hall and begin at 7:00 p.m.

Attendance Log for Monroe Conservation and Water Resources Commission

			2016											
	Name	Role	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
1	Jeff Fulchino	Member	-	-	-	P								
2	Ellie Krevolin	Member	-		P	P								
3	Karen Burnaska	Chairman	P		P	P								
4	Cynthia Giancaspro	Member	P		P	P								
5	Ryan Driscoll	Treasurer	-		P	P								
6	Marven Moss	Vice-Chairman	P		P	P								
7	Beverly Doyle	Secretary	P		P	P								
	Ranger Dave Solek	Advisor												
	KEY													
	X No meeting													
	* No Longer a Member													
	P Present													
	A Absent													