

**TOWN OF KILLINGLY  
INLAND WETLANDS AND WATERCOURSES COMMISSION (IWWC)  
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES**

Killingly Town Hall  
172 Main Street  
Danielson, CT  
Monday, July 2, 2018

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TOWN CLERK, KILLINGLY, CT  
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*Elizabeth M. Wilson*

- I. Call to Order & Roll Call: Chairman Sandy Eggers called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

**Members Present:** Chairman Sandy Eggers, Secretary Rod Galton, Beth Dubofsky-Porter, and Corina Torrey.

**Members Absent:** Ronald Dass, Fred Ruhlemann (w/notification)

**Also Present:** Eric Rumsey, Town Planner and David Capacchione, Town Engineer

- II. Adoption of Minutes:

- A. May 7, 2018 Regular Meeting:

**MOTION #1 (07/02/18):** made by Mr. Galton **SECONDED BY** Ms. Torrey that the Inland Wetland and Watercourses Commission approve May 7, 2018 Regular Meeting Minutes as presented  
**VOICE VOTE: UNANIMOUS; MOTION CARRIED**

- III. Citizens' Participation: None

- IV. Unfinished Business:

- A. **Application #18-1450** of the Town of Killingly for a bridge replacement over the Mashentuck Brook on Valley Road.
- B. **Application #18-1451** of the Town of Killingly for a bridge replacement over the Whetstone Brook on Valley Road.
- C. **Application #18-1452** of the Town of Killingly for a bridge replacement on Bear Hill Road.

**NOTE:** The three applications above were combined because they are the same in terms of the areas of activity, involve a town road crossing a watercourse, and each bridge is in need of replacement.

**TOWN STAFF COMMENTS:**

- Mr. Capacchione was present to represent the Town. He provided a brief report on each project and referenced mapping. All three applications propose to remove existing bridges (and pipes for Bear Hill), and replace with box culverts. This is the least invasive method for replacement of the bridges and removal of any pipes. It is estimated project preparations will begin in the winter with a spring start. Same design system will be used for all three bridges.
- Mr. Rumsey indicated provided the applicant assures that any minimal excavation for footings is done in a courteous manner and silt fencing or hay bales are installed properly there should be no impact to the brook or associated wetlands

**IWWC COMMENTS/CONCERNS:** IWWC asked Mr. Capacchione to explain contingency plans and specific regarding the design and structure of all box culverts. Mr. Capacchione explained design specifics, construction sequence, and contingency plans that will be put in place.

**MOTION #2 (07/02/18):** made by Mr. Galton **SECONDED BY** Ms. Torrey that the Inland Wetland and Watercourses Commission approve Applications #18-51, 52, & 52 as presented with the following conditions: 1) Erosion and Sedimentation Controls are to be installed prior to commencement of activity; and 2) Town Staff will provide oversight during the project  
**VOICE VOTE: UNANIMOUS; MOTION CARRIED**

- D. **Application #18-1453** of Anne Dauphinas for the replacement of an existing foot bridge; Located at 204 Wright Road; GIS Map 228; Lot 6; 4.47 acres; Rural Development Zone.

**APPLICANT PRESENTATION:** Applicant is proposing to construct a steel replacement of a wooden footbridge located over the Quandoc Brook. The purpose of the bridge is to allow property owner the ability to walk over the bridge, drive a garden tractor over the bridge for garden type work. Proposed design of the bridge allows for construction to be outside of associated wetlands.

The Applicant provided a sketch of the proposed area of activity. Bridge will be pre-assembled. Good description of materials and construction activity was provided. Activity will be outside of watercourse. Excavation – area will be dug with a small excavator and one portion by hand staying completely out of water area.

**MOTION #3 (07/02/18):** made by Mr. Galton **SECONDED BY** Ms. Dubofsky-Porter that the Inland Wetland and Watercourses Commission approve **Application #18-1453** as presented with the following conditions: 1) Erosion and Sedimentation Controls are to be installed prior to commencement of activity; and 2) Town Staff will provide oversight during the project

**VOICE VOTE: UNANIMOUS; MOTION CARRIED**

V. New Business: None

VI. Correspondence to the Commission:

- A. **Open Space Land Acquisition Commission:** Ms. Dubofsky-Porter noted there was discussion on the updates to the electrical system in Owen Bell, Ag-Con changed best management practices for water, Conservation Commission back road tours for , truck driver training, POCD being worked on, Town Council and Mil Rate – looking for citizens to join Open Space Commission.
- B. **ALZOD Overlay District Regulations:** Mr. Galton initiated discussion on this topic and noted there should be Town Staff review, consideration, and action that ALZOD Overlay District Regulations be independent from IWWC Regulations. ALZOD regulations should not be under the jurisdiction of IWWC as there is no enforcement mechanism in place for this Commission.

C. **IWWC Chairman & Vice-Chairman:**

**MOTION #4 (07/02/18):** made by Ms. Dubofsky-Porter **SECONDED BY** Ms. Torrey that the Inland Wetland and Watercourses Commission nominate Mr. Galton as IWWC Vice Chairman

**VOICE VOTE: UNANIMOUS; MOTION CARRIED**

**MOTION #5 (07/02/18):** made by Mr. Galton **SECONDED BY** Ms. Dubofsky-Porter that the Inland Wetland and Watercourses Commission nominate Ms. Torrey as IWWC Vice Chairman

**VOICE VOTE: UNANIMOUS; MOTION CARRIED**

VII. Other:

- A. Wetlands Agent Activity Report
- B. Monthly Zoning/Wetlands Report

VIII. Town Council Liaison: None

IX. Adjournment

**MOTION #6 (07/02/18):** made by Mr. Galton **SECONDED BY** Ms. Dubofsky-Porter that the Inland Wetland and Watercourses Commission adjourn at 8:25 p.m.

**VOICE VOTE: UNANIMOUS; MOTION CARRIED**

Respectfully submitted,  
Sherry Pollard  
IWWC Recording Secretary