

KILLINGLY CONSERVATION COMMISSION

WEDNESDAY, October 18, 2023 7:00pm

Marie Con Vicenz

ROOM 102

KILLINGLY TOWN HALL, 172 Main Street, Killingly, CT

REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

- I. Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 7:09pm.
- II. Roll Call: Donna Bronwell, Jean Mountford, Bob Mullen, Allison Brady (staff), Ed Grandelski (Town Council liaison), Bob Lofquist (citizen).Mike Montville and Claudette Rogers absent with prior notice.
- III. Citizens Comments/ Participation- All public comment can be emailed to publiccomment@killinglyct.gov or mailed to Town of Killingly, 172 Main Street, Killingly, CT 06239 on or before the meeting. All public comment received prior to the meeting will be posted on the Town's website www.killinglyct.gov

Bob M made a motion to suspend the citizens' participation rule so that citizens may speak at any time; Jean seconded; passed 3-0.

IV. Minutes

a. Regular Meeting – September 20, 2023: Bob made a motion to approve the minutes; Jean seconded, passed 3-0.

V. Business

- a. Properties 1892/Sherman Memorial, Chase Reservoir, Quandoc, Mason Hill, Other: Bob L. noticed that there were more trees down across the trail at Chase Res. Allison will check with Mary on the status of RFP for forest management. Bob L. recently walked Quandoc and said everything looked good. Allison is working on the Bear Hill presentation.
- **b. Walktober Recap:** 21 people in attendance, including commission and staff members. Overall successful.
- c. Events Walktober, Bus Tours: November 5th at 1PM. Advertisements will be in the Shoppers' Guide and Turnpike Buyer for one week (October 25th editions). Donna will ask East Killingly Fire Department for permission to park. Registration ends November 1st; limit of 22 people. Allison will print more bus tour #2 Northeast brochures.
- **d. Updates and KCC Members Update:** Bob L. submitted his application but likely will not be interviewed by Town Council until December.
- VI. Correspondence to the Commission: None.

VII. Other

- a. Next Town Council meeting November 7th and 14th, 2023 (may be affected by elections)
- **b.** Next KCC meeting November 15th, 2023
- c. Volunteer Tracking Time
- VIII. Town Council Liaison Ed discussed the sewer plant, OSLA funds, ARPA funds, and upgrading the Town website.
- IX. Enter into Executive Session (review/discussion/action) Per CT General Statutes Section 1-200(6)(D) [discussion of the selection of a site or the lease, sale or purchase of real estate... when publicity regarding such site, lease, sale, purchase, or construction would adversely impact the price of such site, lease, sale, purchase or construction until such time as all of the property has been acquired or all proceedings or transactions concerning same have been terminated, or abandoned..."]
 - a. Potential Properties for Acquisition List: No executive session occurred.
- X. Adjournment: Jean made a motion to adjourn the meeting; Bob seconded; passed 3-0; the meeting was adjourned at 8:37pm.