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MINUTES

Minutes of a public meeting held on **June 16, 2021** at the Human Services Building, 270 Quaker Meetinghouse Road, Sandwich, MA.

Members Present: Kimberley Walsh (KW), Scott Boutilier (SB), Hillary Foglia (HF), Roy Anderson (RA), Jason Heyer (JH) and Cameron Murphy (CM)

Alternate Members Present: Lillie Peterson-Wirtanen (LPW)

Members Absent: Elizabeth DeMelo (ED)

Staff Present: Joshua Wrigley (JW), Asst. Director of Natural Resources and Rachael Morrissey (RM), Administrative Assistant.

Date: June 16, 2021

Time: 7:00 PM

1. INFORMAL:

- a. **9 Georges Rock Road, East Sandwich, MA.** Done Right Excavating (request to use previously approved plans) Present was Brett Ellis of Done Right Excavating, he requested the usage of previously approved plans. (SB) A **motion** was made to approve the usage of old plans for a Notice of Intent. (KW) Seconded. The **motion** was passed with a vote of 7-0-0.

2. NEW HEARINGS:

- a. **DEP File No. SE66-1905, Daniel Marsters c/o Sabatia, Inc.** has filed a Notice of Intent for proposed placement of fill within Land Subject to Coastal Storm Flowage located at Map 60 – Parcels 058 located at **11 Norse Pines Drive, East Sandwich, MA.** Present was Bob Gray of Sabatia who presented the project as proposed. RA what about dispersed water onto the other property? BG that is the engineer's responsibility when contouring the land JH would this create a coastal bank? BG we could have the engineers procure some transects or it could be conditioned that the fill not create a coastal bank. There was a discussion about the fill. LPW what elevation are we trying to attain? And where would the fill come from. BG The elevation would have to be at least 14.5ft and the fill would most likely come from P.A. Landers, clean fill only. (SB) **motion** was made to continue to the 7-7-21 meeting to provided more information as discussed. (KW) Seconded. The **motion** was passed with a vote of 7-0-0.
- b. **DEP File No. SE66- 1906, Bethany Muhlebach** has filed a Notice of Intent for proposed beach nourishment at Map 20- Parcel 071 located at **Great Hill Road on Lawrence Pond, Sandwich, MA.** The applicant requested a continuance to the July 7, 2021 meeting, request read into the record. (SB) A **motion** was made to continue to the July 7, 2021 meeting. (KW) Seconded. The **motion** was passed with a vote of 7-0-0.

3. EXTENSION:

- a. **Original Filing DEP File No. SE66-1685, Stephen and Erin Kittell** has filed an after the fact Notice of Intent for beach nourishment at Assessor's Map 77– Parcel 71 located at **117R Salt**



Marsh Road, East Sandwich, MA. Requested by Stephen Kittell (JW) recommended for extension. (SB) A **motion** was made to approve a 3-year extension. (KW) Seconded. The motion was passed with a vote of 7-0-0.

b. **Original Filing DEP File No. SE66-1686, Paul & Diane O'Leary** has filed an after the fact Notice of Intent for beach nourishment at Assessor's Map 77- Parcel 72 located at **119 Salt Marsh Road, East Sandwich, MA.** Requested by Stephen Kittell (JW) recommended for extension. (SB) A **motion** was made to approve a 3-year extension. (KW) Seconded. The motion was passed with a vote of 7-0-0.

c. **Original Filing DEP File No. SE66-1582, David Ricupero c/o Vaccaro Environmental Consulting** has filed a Notice of Intent for proposed construction of two small additions, a new deck and the relocation of an existing driveway at Assessor's Map 77 - Parcel 32 located at **10 Salt Marsh Road, Sandwich, MA.** Requested by David Ricupero (JW) recommended for extension. (SB) A **motion** was made to approve a 3-year extension. (KW) Seconded. The motion was passed with a vote of 7-0-0.

4. ENFORCEMENT:

a. **130, 132, 136 Knott Avenue- Draft Restoration Order** (SB) read the draft letter into the record. Discussion ensued about the specifics of the letter and the designated amount of the fine. Public comment: Mary and Chris Craven expressed their confusion as to why a Notice of Intent would be required if the cutting has already begun to re-naturalize. Nancy and Joe Costa presented pictures of the grow and expressed their confusion as well. Bob Gray made comment on the property ownership and urged the commission not to make a hasty decision. (HF) A **motion** was made to continue to the July 7, 2021 meeting excluding 136 Knott Avenue from the Restoration Order. (CM) Seconded. The **motion** was passed with a vote of 7-0-0.

b. **193 Route 6A - Anthony Povoas (Cutting in wetland)** (AP) requested that the commission reconsider their ruling that a Notice of Intent be filed. There was discussion about the reason for requiring a notice of intent. (SB) A **motion** was made that a Notice of Intent be filed within 45 days of this meeting for the cutting in the wetlands. (HF) Seconded. The **motion** was passed with a vote of 6-0-1. KW abstained.

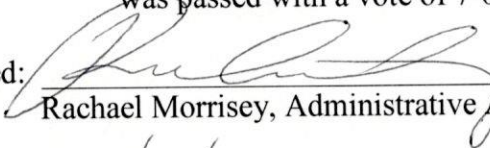
5. OTHER BUSINESS: to include items not reasonably anticipated by Chairperson

a. **Long Range Planning-** RA presented his proposal to the Long Range Planning Committee on behalf of the Conservation Commission. There was discussion amongst the commissioners about the mission statement. No vote was taken.

b. **Organization of the Commission** - There was discussion about Scott Boutilier serving another term as chair. No other commissioners expressed interest.

6. MINUTES:

a. **June 2, 2021-** (SB) a **motion** was made to approve the minutes. (KW) Seconded. The **motion** was passed with a vote of 7-0-0.

Signed: 
Rachael Morrissey, Administrative Assistant

Date: 7/7/21

Date & Time Received by Town Clerk's Office
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