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# INLAND WETLANDS COMMISSION PUBLIC HEARING/ MEETING AGENDA

DATE: Thursday, February 25, 2021

TIME: 7:30 P.M.

PLACE: Electronic Meeting

# **Special Notice About Procedures For This Electronic Meeting:**

Pursuant to the Governor's Executive Order No. 7B, there is no physical location for this meeting, as it will be held electronically. To view a live stream of this meeting, go to the Town of Wilton website and follow the link https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89788048773.

Public comments for Public Hearing agenda items will only be read aloud at the meeting if they (i) are sent to <a href="mailto:mike.conklin@Wiltonct.org">mike.conklin@Wiltonct.org</a>, (ii) state your full name and address, (iii) identify the Public Hearing agenda item to which your comment relates, and (iv) are received during the Public Hearing and before the public comment session on that agenda item ends. Comments on Public Hearing items that do not meet these requirements will be placed in the public file but will not be read aloud during the meeting. Comments not pertaining to Public Hearing items will not be read aloud during the meeting. If you would like to give your Public Hearing comments by participating in real time in the meeting, please send an email by noon on February 24, 2021, to <a href="mike.conklin@Wiltonct.org">mike.conklin@Wiltonct.org</a>, stating your name and address and the Public Hearing agenda item to which your comments will relate, and meeting participation details will be emailed to you to enable you to participate in real time in the Public Hearing. Meeting materials are available at <a href="www.wiltonct.org">www.wiltonct.org</a> on the Inland Wetlands Commission web page under "Current and Upcoming Public Hearings."

#### **SPECIAL MEETING**

- I. CALL TO ORDER
- II. PUBLIC HEARINGS
  - **A.** WET#2654(S) BEHRENS 220 Nod Hill Road "corrective action" to address the unpermitted clearing of trees within a regulated area (CONTINUED to 3/11/21 Meeting)

**B.** WET#2674(S) WALTERS-FRANCIQUE – 129 Skunk Lane – proposed addition, swimming pool, and associated improvements, with a B100a

#### III. APPLICATIONS READY TO BE REVIEWED

- **A.** WET#2675(I) AUGUSTINE 27 Ground Pine Road proposed new septic system within a regulated area
- **B.** WET#2676(I) CASSIDY 368 Nod Hill Road proposed additions and other site improvements within a regulated area

### IV. APPLICATIONS READY TO BE ACCEPTED

**A.** WET#2679(S) ALICEA – 104 Old Mill Road – "emergency" septic repair within a regulated area

### V. APPROVED MINOR ACTIVITIES

- A. WET#2665(M) WEISS 105 Cherry Lane proposed shed 60 ft. from wetlands
- **B.** WET#2666(M) LUCHETTA 36 Ambler Lane proposed extension of existing deck and overlay pool surround with bluestone
- C. WET#2667(M) CARPENTER 42 Cavalry Hill Road proposed installation of conduit for generator and propane tank
- **D.** WET#2680(M) ROSADO 138 Ridgefield Road proposed generator and LP tanks within a regulated area

#### VI. CORRESPONDENCE

- VII. APPROVAL OF MINUTES Meeting Minutes February 11, 2021
- VIII. ADJOURN

### **How the Public Hearing Process Works**

Pursuant to Connecticut General Statues, applications that require a public hearing are administered in three distinct phases. It is important to recognize that public comment, either written or oral communication, cannot be received by the Commission once a public hearing is closed.

- 1. Application Receipt Phase: An application to the Commission is considered "received" at the first regularly-scheduled meeting of the Commission following submittal of the application to the town offices or thirty-five days; whichever date occurs first. The public hearing must open within sixty-five (65) days following the application receipt date.
- **2.** *Public Hearing Phase:* Once opened, a public hearing must be heard and close within thirty-five (35) days. This stage is when the applicant presents the application to the Commission and interested party are allowed to comment on application. Again, public comment cannot be received once the hearing is closed.
- **3.** *Deliberations Phase:* Once a public hearing closes, the Commission is provided sixty-five (65) days to deliberate the merits of an application and render a decision. Though public comment is not taken at this point, these meetings are open to public.

Time Extensions: Note, the Connecticut General Statues provides up to sixty-five (65) days of additional extension time which can be applied to any of the three referenced phases. This is to encourage a complete and thorough review of applications before the Commission and to allow for full public participation. The Governor's Executive Order 7I gives the applicants or the Commission an additional 90 (ninety) days for deadlines on applications.

Continuances: Public hearing matters are subject to requests for continuation or withdrawal at any time prior to a scheduled hearing. Inquiries regarding late changes may be made to the Inland Wetlands Department during business hours at (203) 563-0180.