

SALISBURY INLAND WETLANDS AND WATERCOURSES COMMISSION

SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES

THURSDAY, JULY 13, 2023 – 5:30 PM

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Members Present:

Larry Burcroff (Chairman)
Sally Spillane (Secretary)
John Landon
John Harney (Alternate)

Members Absent:

Steve Belter (Vice Chair)
Cary Ullman
Maria Grace
Peter Neely
Vivian Garfein (Alternate)
Russell Conklin (Alternate)

Others Present:

Abby Conroy (Inland Wetlands & Watercourses Agent)
Miles Todaro (Land Use Technical Specialist)
Brit Hoyt (Applicant)
Peter Hoyt (Applicant)
Lincoln Bates (Contractor)

Site Visit/Field Inspection

1. 143+181 Housatonic River Road – Anne McGrath (Hoyt) – Dredging a pond filled with silt

Members of the Commission and staff met Brit and Peter Hoyt at the property at 5:15 PM. The site walk began at 5:30PM in a lawn area on the southern side of Wildcat Hollow Road across from the driveway for house #122 Wildcat Hollow Road. The Commission observed the first of two ponds originating from Wildcat Hollow Brook. The group crossed a footbridge over a narrow section of brook downstream of the first pond and walked along the southern edge of the larger downstream pond. Contractor Lincoln Bates met the Commission below the outlet of the lower pond at 5:40pm and walked with the group back to the original meeting spot indicating construction staging and dewatering locations and equipment access points. The meeting was adjourned at approximately 5:50pm. The members in attendance will convey observations and deliberate the proposal at the next regularly scheduled meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Abby Conroy,
Inland Wetlands & Watercourses Agent