

Board - Committee - Commission - Council:

Conservation Commission			
Date: 2024-01-24		Time: 7:00 PM	
Building: Reading Town Hall		Location:	Select Board Meeting Room
Address:		Agenda:	
Purpose:	Zoom Virtual Meeting- Conservation Commission Meeting		
Meeting Called By:	Chuck Tirone, Conservation Administrator		

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Topics of Discussion:

THIS IS A HYBRID MEETING: The Conservation Commission and Public may attend in-person in the Select Board Meeting Room or remotely via Zoom as follows:

Topic: Conservation Commission' Zoom Meeting Time: Jan 24, 2024 07:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

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Members of the public are strongly encouraged to send written comments regarding any of the hearings listed below to the Conservation Agent Chuck Tirone at <u>ctirone@ci.reading.ma.us</u>



Town of Reading Meeting Posting with Agenda

Public Hearings Scheduled

1. O Small Lane

Continue the Public Hearing on a Notice of Intent, filed by LLC, Meagan Johnson, Del Rey Realty, Pursuant to Massachusetts General Law, Chapter 131, Section 40-the Wetlands Protection Act and/or the Reading Wetland protection By-law, Section 7.1, the applicant proposes the construction of a limited project stream crossing, retaining walls, wetland alteration, wetland replication, drainage, grading, and associated utilities. All work is within 100 feet of a Bordering Vegetated Wetland. The application and plans can be viewed on the Conservation Division page under the current project, **Assessor's Map 40 & 41 Lot 153, 155 & 29 Dep File No. 270-0748**

2. 87 Walkers Brook Dr.

Closed the Public Hearing on a Notice of Intent, filed by William Camuso, Leigh Enterprise LTD, Pursuant to Massachusetts General Law, Chapter 131, Section 40-the Wetlands Protection Act and/or the Reading Wetland protection By-law, Section 7.1, the applicant proposes to replace fuel dispensers and associated piping. The protective map located above the existing four (4) USTs and concrete mat associated with the fuel canopy will also be replaced. All of the work is within the 100 ft buffer zone to a bordering vegetated wetland. The application and plans can be viewed during regular business hours at the Town Hall Conservation Office, 16 Lowell Street Reading, MA 01867, and on the Conservation Division page under the project by year, **Assessor's Map 13 Lot 3 Dep File No. 270-0777**

The applicant asked to close the hearing at our January 10th meeting. The Conservation Commission will discuss the next steps for this application including hiring LEC as a consultant for this project.

3. <u>0 Annette Lane</u>

Continue the Public Hearing on a Notice of Intent, filed by Peter Seibold, Pursuant to Massachusetts General Law, Chapter 131, Section 40-the Wetlands Protection Act and/or the Reading Wetland protection By-law, Section 7.1, The applicant is proposing construction of a single-family dwelling with driveway and associated grading within the 100-Foot Buffer Zone of Bordering Vegetated Wetlands (BVW), and the installation of an elevated boardwalk between Annette Lane and Apple Gate Lane that will cross a BVW. The boardwalk will be constructed on helical piers and will have minimal wetland impact. The application and plans can be viewed during regular business hours at the Town Hall Conservation Office, 16 Lowell Street Reading, MA 01867, and on the Conservation Division page under the project by year, **Assessor's Map 38 Lot 139 Dep File No. 270-0780**



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4. 252- 262 Main St. & 10 Pinevale Ave.

Continue the Public Hearing on a Notice of Intent, filed by Saverio Filciniti, BLVD Reading, LLC, Pursuant to Massachusetts General Law, Chapter 131, Section 40-the Wetlands Protection Act and/or the Reading Wetland protection By-law, Section 7.1, The applicant is proposing site improvements include the demolishing of three buildings, clearing of existing vegetation and constructing one mixed-use building. Other improvements to the site include construction of surface parking, landscaping and underground utilities servicing the site. portions of the work are within the 100-Foot Buffer Zone to a Bordering Vegetated Wetlands (BVW). The application and plans can be viewed during regular business hours at the Town Hall Conservation Office, 16 Lowell Street Reading, MA 01867, and on the Conservation Division page under the project by year, **Assessor's Map 11 Lot 192, 194, 196 Dep File No. 270-0779** At the applicant's request the hearing will be continued until February 14

5. 71 Tennyson Road

Continue the Public Hearing on a Request for Determination of Applicability filed by Chris and Amanda Haley under the Massachusetts Wetland Protection Act, M.G.L. Chapter 131, § 40 and/or the Reading Wetland Protection By-law, Section 7.1, The applicant proposes to remove the existing deck, patio, asphalt driveway, and retaining walls and install a new deck 25 x 25, a new permeable paver patio of approximately 1500 ft.², a new retaining wall, and a new permeable paver driveway of approximately 2500 ft.². All invasive vegetation will be removed and all debris from previous homeowners dumping will be cleaned out within and adjacent to the LEC Environmental delineated wetlands. A vegetated buffer strip with native vegetation is proposed. All of the work except for a small section of the driveway is within the Buffer Zone to a Bordering Vegetated Wetland. The application and plans can be viewed during regular business hours at the Town Hall Conservation Office, 16 Lowell Street Reading, MA 01867, and on the Conservation Division page under project by year. **Assessor's Map: 11 Lot: 156 File No. 2023-21**

6. <u>246 - 248 Walnut St.</u>

Open the Public Hearing on a Notice of Intent, filed by Stella Construction, Pursuant to Massachusetts General Law, Chapter 131, Section 40-the Wetlands Protection Act and/or the Reading Wetland protection By-law, Section 7.1, The applicant is proposing construction of a two-lot subdivision with and associated 150-foot paved private way partially within the Riverfront Area and Buffer Zone associated with a Bordering Vegetated Wetland. The application and plans can be viewed during regular business hours at the Town Hall Conservation Office, 16 Lowell Street Reading, MA 01867, and on the Conservation Division page under the project by year, **Assessor's Map 3 Lot 19 Dep File No. 270-0781** At the applicant's request the hearing will be continued until February 14



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7. Old/New Business

Violation Notices, yard waste and encroachment on Conservation Land, Follow-ups 30 Henzie, shed, 126 Hanscom Ave, 30 Chequessett, 22, 8, 14, Oakridge Road, 38, 34 Bond,

8. Discussion Items

9. Conservation/DPW Monthly Meeting February 6

- Downed tree in Bare Meadow (remove all)
- Continued water leaking at Mattera Cabin garage
- Evaluate tree at 104 Scotland Road
- Update on work to-do list for work on the Mattera Cabin

10. Bills approved,

- 11. Administrators Report: Land Use Summit debrief
- 12. Minutes for approval: 11/8/2023, 12/13/2023 1/10/2024

ADJOURNMENT

*Not within the 48 hours due to the current emergency situation

cc: Conservation Commission & website.