# TOWN OF SOMERS CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Wednesday, October 2, 2013 7:00 p.m. TOWN HALL Meeting Minutes

# ICALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Joan Formeister at 7:05 p.m. Members present were Candace Aleks, Dan Fraro, Henry Broer, Todd Whitford, Greg Genlot and Lise Wood for Karl Walton..Wetland Agent, David Askew, also attended.

# II. OLD BUSINESS

1. Application #670 Town of Somers. Replace culvert on Billings Road across from Sunshine Farms Wetland Agent David Askew reviewed the application specifics by introducing it as essentially a culvert replacement. He stated that the elevation must be kept at the current height to prevent flooding or dewatering on the north side of the road. The project will be coordinated by the Town Engineer Jeff Bord and constructed by the Public Works Department. Members had no additional questions. Member Dan Fraro made a motion, seconded by Greg Genlot, to approve the application with no conditions.

All in favor, motion carries

# III NEW BUSINESS

# 1. Application #671 Juliano's Pools; In-ground pool within upland review area. 19 Franklin Woods Drive

W.A. David Askew reviewed the project. The wetland is approximately 35 feet from the pool. Silt fence will be used to demarcate the construction limits and prevent sediment movement.. Member Greg Genlot had questions about the dimensions of the patio and the sideyard setback. David Askew offered to verify those dimensions and coordinate with the zoning officer.

# IV.AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION

1.NONE

#### V STAFF COMMISSION REPORTS

1. Wetland Agent David Askew presented his report, dated October 2, 2013, to members.. Todd Whitford made a motion, seconded by Candace Aleks, to accept and approve the report. *All in favor, motion carries* 

# VI. CORRESPONDENCE AND BILLS

David Askew shared some event literature with members.

#### VII. MINUTES

Dan Fraro made a motion, seconded by Lise Wood, to accept the minutes from July 24<sup>th</sup>, 2013 reflecting the omission of "motion was made to seat Lise wood".

All in favor. Motion carries

Candace Aleks made a motion, seconded by Henry Broer, to accept the September 4<sup>th</sup> minutes as written.

All in favor. Motion carries.

# VIII. ADJOURNMENT

Lise Wood made a motion, seconded by Todd Whiford, to adjourn the meeting at 7:30 p.m. *All in Favor, motion carried* 

Respectfully Submitted:
Stephanie Benson, Recording Secretary