

**INLAND WETLANDS AND WATERCOURSES COMMISSION
PLAINVILLE, CONNECTICUT**

February 1, 2017

REGULAR MEETING at 7:00 P.M.

MUNICIPAL CENTER, ROOM 304

PRESENT: R. Michalic, M. Goulet, K. Anderson, P. Kilby, S. Emmendorfer
ALTERNATES PRESENT: T. Kijanka
ABSENT: S. McMahon
STAFF PRESENT: M. DeVoe, G. Daigle

I. ROLL CALL

1. **A motion was made by:** R. Michalic to elevate T. Kijanka to full member.

The motion was seconded by: K. Anderson

Vote 5 to 0 Motion Passes T. Kijanka abstains

II. PUBLIC COMMENTS

None

III. PUBLIC HEARINGS

None

IV. NEW APPLICATIONS

1. **IW 01/17#001 – Town of Plainville - Construct and install town owned drainage in easement for the purposes of draining a portion of Cooke Street into Paderewski Pond – 159 Cooke St**

V. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

None

VI. NEW BUSINESS

1. **IW 01/17#001 – Town of Plainville - Construct and install town owned drainage in easement for the purposes of draining a portion of Cooke Street into Paderewski Pond – 159 Cooke St. - see above**

John Bossi that the Town of Plainville is proposing to construct a catch basin off of Cooke Street to drain into Paderewski Pond to alleviate drainage issues in this area of Cooke Street. The majority of the work and the discharge will be located within the 100 ft. upland review area. The catch basin will have a hood to prevent floatables from entering the drainage channel and the outlet will be located 15 feet from the high water line and enter into a plunge pool. A deep sump will also serve to collect particulates.

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When asked how often the sump would be pumped out, he responded annually. Mr. Bossi also reported that the plunge pool would require cleaning on an as-needed basis, depending on storm events.

The commission discussed the application. They discussed the projects and whether it might present a significant impact to wetlands and watercourses.

A motion was made by: T. Kijanka to find that application IW 01/17#001 for an Inland Wetlands Permit for the construction of town owned drainage in easement for the purposes of draining a portion of Cooke Street into Paderewski Pond **does not** pose a significant impact to wetlands and watercourses.

Seconded by: R. Michalic

All in Favor 6 to 0

Having made a determination of no significance, no public hearing is required. The Commission must wait the requisite 15 days to allow the public to petition a hearing. If no petition in compliance with regulatory standards is received within the prescribed timeframe, the Commission may render a decision on March 1, 2017. Barring the need for a public hearing, the Commission feels they have the necessary information to render a decision and stated there was no need for the applicant (John Bossi) to return on March 1, 2017.

2. Election of Officers

A motion was made by: R. Michalic to elect M. Goulet as Chairman.

Seconded by: K. Anderson

All in Favor 5 to 0

Motion Passes M. Goulet abstains

A motion was made by: R. Michalic to elect K. Anderson as Vice Chairman.

Seconded by: P. Kilby

All in Favor 5 to 0

Motion Passes K. Anderson abstains

A motion was made by: M. Goulet to elect R. Michalic as Secretary.

Seconded by: P. Kilby

All in Favor 5 to 0

Motion Passes R. Michalic abstains

VII. BILLS AND COMMUNICATIONS

1. The Habitat = Fall 2016 – Volume 28, Number 4
2. Robert Ciotto – Commissioner Ciotto's resignation was accepted with regrets and well wishes in his new post on the Town Council.

VIII. MINUTES

A motion was made by: R. Michalic to approve the Regular Meeting Minutes of November 4, 2015 as written.

Seconded by: P. Kilby

Vote: 6-0 in favor

Minutes Approved

IX. REPORTS

None

X. TOWN PLANNER

None

XI. ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by: P. Kilby to adjourn the meeting at 7:34 pm.

The motion was seconded by: R. Michalic

Vote: 6-0 in favor **Meeting adjourned at 7:34 pm**

Respectfully Submitted,

Jennifer Dahlstrom

Jennifer Dahlstrom, Recording Secretary