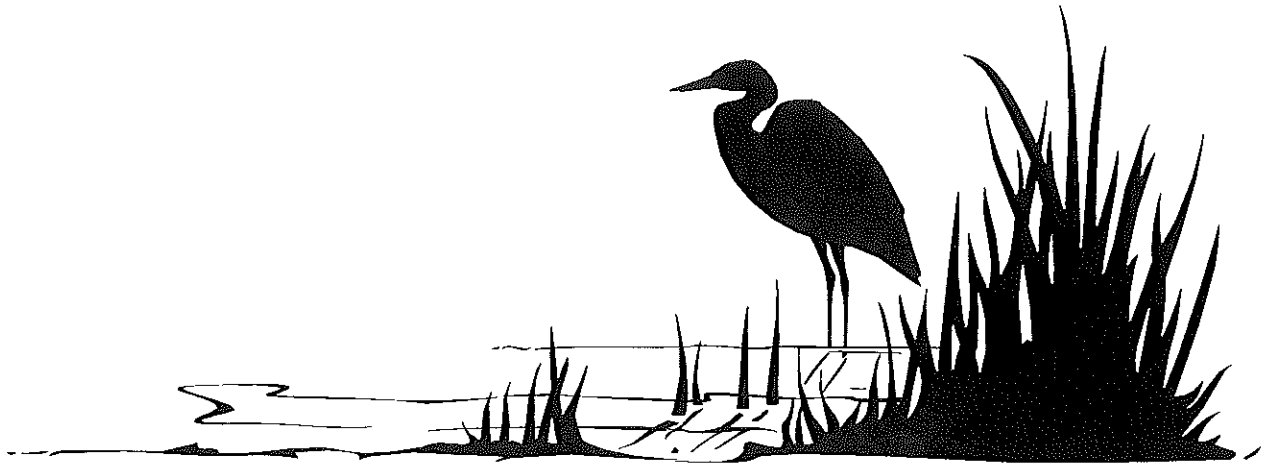


In attendance: Chair Roberti, Mr. Pineo, Mr. Michalak, Mr. Mosley, Mr. Michalak, Ms. Valentine, Mr. Pavlowich, Mr. Curtin, Mr. Marro (Staff)



Minutes
STERLING CONSERVATION COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING- February 2, 2016
BUTTERICK BUILDING- ROOM 207 7:30 PM

1. Meeting Notices and communications.
2. Minutes from the previous meeting
3. New Business
4. Old Business
 - 4.1 Follow up on all warrant articles from town meeting
 - 4.2 Grant and plan updates – working session
5. Enforcement –
6. Certificate of Compliance -
7. Agents report to the Commission:
 - 7.1 Upcoming storm water regulations for 2016

LEGAL NOTICES

7: 40 PM :Pursuant to MGL ch 131 s 40 as amended there will be a public meeting on a request for a determination by Ryan Smith to determine if an area noted as a drainage swale, adjacent to 296 Princeton Rd. is a resource area as defined by the wetland protection act regulations.

Chris Mackenzie from Whitman and Bingham Associates was present to represent the applicant. Mr. Marro noted the history of the site. Mr. Mackenzie noted the dynamics of the site and noted that there is a drainage swale present with no associated wetland vegetation.

Mr. Marro noted that he did not see any hydric soils upstream and that the swale is an old drainage ditch that was noted in the original deed to the property he felt it is not jurisdictional. He did note a very large wetland system nearby and that the system did not have any

hydraulic connection.

MR. Pavlowich moved to issue a negative determination for the enclosed plan dated January 8, 2016 entitled " proposed Soil Absorption System" . Ms Valentine Seconded and the Commission voted unanimously.

The meeting Adjourned at 9 PM