GREAT BARRINGTON CONSERVATION COMMISSION

WEDNESDAY, July 27, 2022 6:30PM

Remote Meeting via ZOOM Webinar / Telephone Conference

Pursuant to Governor Baker's March 12, 2020 Order Suspending Certain Provisions of the Open Meeting Law, G.L. c. 30A, §18, and the Governor's July 16, 2022 Revised Order extending remote participation by all members of any meeting of a public body, this meeting of the Great Barrington Conservation Commission will be conducted via remote participation to the greatest extent possible. Specific information and the general guidelines for remote participation by members of the public and/or parties with a right and/or requirement to attend this meeting can be found on the town's website, at www.townofgb.org. For this meeting, members of the public who wish to listen to the meeting may do so in the following manner: See instructions at the top of the Agenda. No in-person attendance of members of the public will be permitted, but every effort will be made to ensure that the public can adequately access the proceedings in real time, via technological means.

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AGENDA

Call to Order: The Chair will conduct a roll call to identify attendees. All votes taken during the meeting will be roll call votes. All participants please identify themselves before speaking.

Public Meeting: The Commission is holding this public meeting to consider Requests for Determination of Applicability (RDAs) under the Mass Wetlands Protection Act, the Great Barrington Wetland Bylaw or the Berkshire Scenic Mountains Act as follows:

An RDA under Scenic Mountain Act Regulations from Kelly Granger Parsons & Associates on behalf of Steven Yang, property located at #15 & #17 East Mountain Road. The proposed work includes conversion of a pre-existing +/- 1,000 ft. woods road into a standard driveway and constructing a home with associated clearing, and well, septic and utility installation.

An RDA under the Mass Wetlands Protection Act from Jess Cooney, property at 2 State Rd., Map 14 Lot 8. The proposed work includes repaving the existing driveway and parking area with no increase in the size of either the driveway or parking area.

An RDA from Christopher Rembold on behalf of the Town DPW; property located adjacent to Fairview Terrace, Map 9 Lots 22 thru 29. The work will consist of clearing out accumulated silt and debris from the existing intermittent stream/ drainage ditch that runs along the south side of Fairview Terrace. Work will be performed by the DPW crew using backhoe and hand tools as needed. No bank or existing woody vegetation will be disturbed.

Public Hearings: The Great Barrington Conservation Commission is holding these two public hearings to consider Notices of Intent (NOIs) under the Mass Wetlands Protection Act, the Great Barrington Wetland Bylaw or the Berkshire Scenic Mountains Act as follows:

An NOI, DEP File# 167-0448, from DPC Engineering, LLC on behalf of the Town of Great Barrington, property off Main Street, Maps 25 & 22 Lots 5 & 64; Conversion of one wet-pit / dry-pit pump station into a submersible pump station and establishment of compensatory flood storage. Continued from May 25, 2022

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Other matters:

A request from Christopher Rembold on behalf of the Town DPW for a Certificate of Compliance with the Order of Conditions, DEP File 167-0431. The project consisted of construction of a multi-use path along the old Route 7 right of way from the Barrington Brewery parking area north to the CHP parking area.

Citizen Speak Time / Commission Speak Time

Next meeting date 8/24/2022; proposed site visits 8/17/2022; new submissions requested by 8/05/2022

ADJOURN

Pursuant to MGL. 7c. 30A sec. 20 (f), after notifying the chair of the public body, any person may make a video or audio recording of an open session of a meeting of a public body, or may transmit the meeting through any medium. At the beginning of the meeting, the chair shall inform other attendees of any such recordings. Any member of the public wishing to speak at the meeting must receive permission of the chair. The listings of agenda items are those reasonably anticipated by the chair which may be discussed at the meeting. Not all items listed may in fact be discussed and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law.