

GREAT BARRINGTON CONSERVATION COMMISSION

WEDNESDAY, June 23, 2021

6:30PM

Remote Meeting via ZOOM Video / 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 June 16, 2021 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 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. In the event that we are unable to do so, despite best efforts, we will post on the town's website an audio or video recording, transcript, or other comprehensive record of proceedings as soon as possible after the meeting.

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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.

- 1. Notice of Intent (DEP File # 167-0436)** from Foresight Land Services on behalf of Leonard Felson & Julia Rosenblum. The property is at 56 River Street, Map 14 Lot 258. The proposed work consists of stabilizing a section of Housatonic Riverbank and related site work including construction of a planted structural bank stabilization system to mitigate against future erosion during storm events. **Continued from December 9, 2020.**
- 2. Notice of Intent (DEP File # 167-0437)** from Berkshire Engineering on behalf of Steven Bankert, property is at 49 Pearl Street, Map 11 Lot 47. The proposed work consists of constructing a 10 foot by 15 foot addition along the western face of the existing house and converting an existing patio into a 10 foot by 20 foot sunroom along the southern face of the same house. **Continued from April 28, 2021.**
- 3. Request for Determination of Applicability** from TEC Associates on behalf of The Housatonic Railroad Company. The property consists of the railroad Right of Way through Great Barrington. The anticipated work consists annual vegetation management in accordance with Massachusetts Rights-of-Way Management Regulations and the railroad's Vegetation Management Plan. The applicant is seeking recertification of wetland resource area delineations. **Continued from April 28, 2021.**
- 4. Request for Determination of Applicability** from James J. Mercer, property is Round Pond and land adjacent to it off Long Pond Road, Map 34 Lot 10. The proposed work consists of directional drilling under Round Pond and installing utilities to serve a single building lot on the west side of the pond. **Continued from May 26, 2021.**
- 5. Notice of Intent (DEP File # 167-0439)** from White Engineering on behalf of Amelia Berg, property is at 28 Kirk Street, Map 1 Lot 11. The proposed work consists of reconstructing an existing barn onto a new poured concrete frost wall within a 100 ft. Buffer Zone to a Bordering Vegetated Wetland.

6. Request for Determination of Applicability (SMA File # 6-08-21) from Kelly Granger Parsons & Associates on behalf of Tyler Langlois property at 235 Monument Valley Road, Map 35 Lot 34.2. The proposed work consists of construction of a new single family house, barn ,extended gravel driveway and installation of Silt Fence/Limit of Work Fence within a Mapped Scenic Mountain Region and completion of as yet unfinished work described in an Order of Conditions issued to Dale Culleton (SMA File #6-6-19).

Citizen Speak Time / Commission Speak Time

Approval of minutes of the March 2021 and April 2021 meetings.

Next meeting date July 28, 2021; site visits July 21, 2021 and new submissions due July 7, 2021.

ADJOURN

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