

Hampton Conservation Commission
March 13, 1986

Special Meeting

In attendance: Peter E. Tilton
Margaret Lawrence
Irene Palmer
Allen Bridle
Nelson Grant

Also: Nancy Burke

The meeting was called to order at 7 p.m.

With regrets, it was announced that Irene Palmer will not be seeking re-appointment as a member of the Hampton Conservation Commission at the end of her term.

Nancy Burke has expressed an interest in the concerns of the Hampton Conservation Commission. The members of the Commission met with Mrs. Burke and discussed her interest in becoming a member of the Commission. James Freely has also expressed an interest and the members will meet with him at a later date. The Board of Selectmen will be advised that these persons have shown an interest in the Commission's activities and should be considered when an appointment is made.

Mrs. Palmer reported on her progress with the schools in relation to conservation projects and anticipated expenses on those programs discussed at the previous meetings.

The "Marsh Guide" was discussed and it was felt before the guide could be distributed, editing was necessary. Mrs. Palmer proposed more illustrations were necessary and presented some samples. It was determined a work-day would be necessary to accomplish the tasks involved.

The GROUNDWATER FORUM is tentatively planned for Wednesday, April 30, at 7 p.m. in the Library. The meeting room has been reserved for this purpose. Mr. Cote from the Water Company will be contacted concerning this and the plans for a slide presentation from his parent company. The EPA and the Water Supply and Pollution Control will also be invited along with Gordon Byers from UNH and Martha Bailey. Publicity for the program was also discussed. It was decided that George Hardardt should also be invited to represent the Town of Hampton.

Craig Salomon joined the meeting at this time.

The Landmark Builders proposal for the development off of Exeter Road (near Stowecroft) was discussed. Mr. Millette, who represents Landmark, will be at the next meeting to explain these plans and the proposal further. Maps were reviewed at this meeting. Mr. Salomon wished to be on record as not participating due to a conflict of interest.

A Dredge and Fill Application from Tom Wasson for property off of Elaine Street was reviewed next. Frank Richardson from the State Wetlands Board is interested in this property and no recommendations will be made until the property has been viewed by the Commission and him. The amount of fill required and easement lines are amongst the concerns discussed.

Another Dredge and Fill Application was reviewed. This application is from the State of New Hampshire for a Hampton Harbor dredging project. The Chairman made mention that he has intervned on this. It is felt the proposed plan could be improved and the members agreed.

Past business was updated and brief mention was made to the Delaney and Yameen properties.

Mr. Salomon suggested that there were times it would be advantageous to work with the Planning Board. As a result of this discussion, copies of the Hampton Conservation Commission's minutes will be forwarded to the Planning Board.

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The Conservation Land Bank and the upcoming Town Meeting were briefly discussed.

The Chairman reported he had a letter from the Society for the Preservation of New Hampshire Forests regarding the Youth Conservation Camp and a sponsorship from this Commission. The Chairman will pursue this through the local schools.

The construction site near Jerry's Restaurant was discussed and it was reported that the Building Inspector was keeping watch on this project.

There being no further business to come before the Commission, the meeting was adjourned at 8:27 p.m.

Peter E. Tilton, Jr. - Chairman
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