

TOWN OF SALEM
INLAND WETLANDS AND CONSERVATION COMMISSION
SPECIAL MEETING – SITE WALK
Saturday, February 2, 2013

MINUTES

PRESENT: S. Snyder, Chairman, D. Khan-Bureau, L. Wildrick, E. Natoli, W. Leuck

ABSENT: E. Belt, G. Balavender, Alt., F. Abetti, Alt.

ALSO PRESENT: M. Chinatti, Town Planner/ZEO/WEO, N. Heffernan, Dave Hornick, Daniel Hornick

A. CALL TO ORDER

S. Snyder called the meeting to order at 302 West Rd. at 1:10PM.

B. OLD BUSINESS – Wetlands Complaint re 340 West Rd.

Members observed ponded areas from the 302 West Rd. property and also the 36" culvert beneath the property's access drive, the inlet leading to the broader pond area past the outlet. It was noted that there was good natural depression topography for water storage.

The walk continued to 340 West Rd. where there was evidence of beaver activity. Two culverts were also observed: #C1 – 12" corrugated metal pipe, not blocked, and #C2 – 18" concrete culvert.

The Commission's jurisdiction/responsibility/authority for non-regulated activity was questioned. It was requested that maps of the properties, showing floodzone, be provided for the next meeting.

C. NEW BUSINESS

- a. **NJ #13-01-01** – Cheryl Heffernan, principal, Off Road Enterprises, LLC owner, for property at 340 West Rd. Declaratory ruling of no jurisdiction requested for removal of a 10' diameter x 3' high beaver dam. Discussion and possible action.

(M/S/C Natoli/Khan-Bureau) to table the request to the Commission's February 11, 2013 meeting. Carried unanimously.

D. ADJOURNMENT

(M/S/C Natoli/Khan-Bureau) to adjourn at 2:07PM. Carried unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,
Diba Khan-Bureau, Secretary