

**THE CITY OF GROTON
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
MEETING MINUTES
TUESDAY, JUNE 1, 2010**

**Council Chambers
MUNICIPAL BUILDING
7:30 PM**

I. ROLL CALL

Present: R. Palmieri, A. Parrella, K. Valente, A. Chirillo
Absent: E. Steel, G. Finch,
Excused:
Staff: C. Smith
Mayor Popp

Call meeting to order at 7:32 p.m.

II. MINUTES APPROVAL

*Motion to accept minutes of May 4, 2010 meeting.

Motion: Parrella
Second: Chirillo
Decision: all
Discussion: none

III. PUBLIC HEARING

IV. AS INLAND WETLANDS AGENCY

A. PRESENTATION-

- Girl Scout Troop 63126; on Conservation shared their movie and mural with us.

B. REPORT ON STATUS OF CITY WETLANDS

- Parrella reports that a permit granted was granted for Shennecosset Beach to have a handicapped porta-potty, to be located near the store. He has concerns about possible damage to the adjoining wetlands be caused by the maintenance truck.

C. COMMUNICATIONS-

- State of CT DEP Notice of Tentative Determination Intent to Renew a State Permit for the Following Discharges into the Waters of the State of Connecticut; Naval; Submarine Base New London, dated May 19, 2010, received May 24, 2010.

This reflects an increase in discharge into town system from 7500 gal up to 43,200 gal per day. A. Parrella appointed to obtain more info.

- State of CT DEP; Coastal Permit Application #200903999-MG-Groton (443 Eastern Point Road, Hess Corporation), dated: May 20, 2010, received: May 26, 2010. Boat lift and access to same. Diagram enclosed with document
- 2009 GIS mapping from fly over submitted to GLA

D. MEETINGS

E. AIR MANAGEMENT

V. NEW BUSINESS

VI. OLD BUSINESS

IV. AS CONSERVATION COMMISSION

A. WATER QUALITY

B. AIR QUALITY

Pfizer stacks painted so they will not be required to have lights.

C. COMMUNICATIONS

Joellen Anderson about the Thames River Basin Partnership.

<http://www.thamesriverbasinpartnership.org/> Avalonia Land Conservancy

(<http://www.avalonialandconservancy.org/>) is one of the partners.

She encourages us to attend the next meeting on July 20 Avery Point 9:30 hosted by Project O.

She has provided each of us with a copy of Riparian Buffer Planting Guide

D. OTHER ITEMS

VII. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

Motion: Parrella
Second: Chirillo
Decision: All

Karen Valente, Secretary