## Town of East Windsor Conservation Commission Minutes for 05-25-17

In attendance Albert Grant, Fran Neill, Nick Laskos, Shawn Rairigh

SPECIAL MEETING CALLED TO ORDER: 6:45 PM

MEETING HELD IN TREASURER'S OFFICE.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS None available

## **NEW BUSINESS:**

- 1. Follow-up on previous evaluations of farm properties over and under 30 acres. We talked about various zoning measures that can be taken to preserve open space such as cluster zoning and up-zoning.
- 2. Discussion of appearance before the Planning and Zoning Commission regarding the Hamm property, the Riverbed property and other issues.
- 3. Landowner Contact letter. We had 25 responses to our land owner survey letters. Two (2) wanted to sell their development rights. Nineteen (19) currently rent to farmers and want to keep renting. Five(5) will continue farming it themselves.

## **OLD BUSINESS**

- 1. Status of Riverbed property regarding State of CT. Currently waiting for State of CT to get back to EW regarding their stance on the property.
- 2. 250th Town Anniversary Again discussed various ways the Conservation Commission could be involved in the celebration.

## **MISCELLANEOUS**

1. This will be Shawn Rairigh's last meeting with us as he is leaving East Windsor.

REPORTS OF STAFF

None

MEETING ADJOURNED 7:30 PM

Respectfully Submitted by Frances Neill