

TOWN OF FAIRFIELD

CONSERVATION COMMISSION 725 Old Post Road – Fairfield, CT 06824

AGENDA March 19, 2025 7:00pm

The Conservation Commission will hold a public meeting at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 19, 2025 at the Fairfield Fire Training Center Room 102 located at 205 Richard White Way, Fairfield, CT and via Zoom. Members of the public: To view or listen by phone:

To participate on line via Zoom:

✓ Via web browser: https://zoom.us/j/7250682403 (Passcode: 123)

✓ From the Zoom app on your computer, phone, or tablet:

Meeting ID: 725 068 2403 Meeting Passcode: 123

To view live:

- ✓ FairTV's cable channel (channel 79 for Fairfield Optimum Cablevision customers, and channel 6010 for Frontier Cable customers)
- ✓ FairTV's website: www.fairfieldct.org/government/fairtv/index.php
- ✓ YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/@fairtvgovernment720

Please Note:

- ✓ If you call to listen, you will not be heard by the committee members and there will be no live public comment until called for by the Chair during the meeting. The public is encouraged to send their comments before the meeting to the following email: Conservation@fairfieldct.org with Conservation Commission 03/19/25 Meeting in the subject line.
- ✓ Backup documents relating to agenda items can be found at: https://FileCloud.town.fairfield.ct.us/url/vm2kxivhyahcdy6x

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I. CALL TO ORDER

II. APPOINTMENT OF ALTERNATES

III. APPROVAL OF DRAFT MEETING MINUTES

1. Conservation Commission Meeting: January 15, 2025

IV. NEW BUSINESS

- 1. Radio Drill at Hoyden's Hill Open Space
- **2.** Osprey Nest Inventory

V. OLD BUSINESS

- 1. Update Tree Ordinance Subcommittee
- 2. Update Litter Boom in Rooster River Memo
- 3. Update "Conserve Wetlands" Vehicle Vanity Plate Project
- **4.** Bee Hives at Hoyden's Hill
- **5.** Bluebird Box Installations scheduled for March 21, 2025 at Lake Mohegan, Grace Richardson, and Mountain Laurel open spaces

VI. OPEN SPACE LAND ACQUISITIONS

- 1. 220 Pansy Road conveyance
- **2.** Current acquisition Frequency Rate = 2.93 months/parcel



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VII. BILLS AND COMMUNICATIONS

- 1. Aquarion
 - a) Aquarion Sales & Aquarion Environmental Champion Reward
 - b) Watershed Properties
 - c) Morehouse Brook Diversion- Petition to Correct

VIII. LEGAL/ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS

- 1. (Cont') 30 Laurel Brook Lane unauthorized encroachment/damages into Conservation Easement
- 2. (Cont') 120 Wakeman Lane discussion related to Conservation Easement

IX. STAFF REPORT

- 1. Budget Update
- 2. Ongoing improvements at Mill Hollow open space
- **3.** Response to excessive litter at 219 Ash Creek Boulevard (Metro Center development)

X. OTHER

XI. ADJOURN