

Conservation Commission Meeting (via Zoom)

December 16, 2020

4:00 PM

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Chairman Frank Lombardi called the meeting to order at 4:05 PM

**Members Present:** Frank Lombardi – Chairman, Donald LaPlante, Edith Worcester, Marsha Lombardi, and Valerie Yelton.

**Members Absent:** Marcia Hammon     **Public Present:** Jon Swan – Save Forest Lake and Terry Lufkin

**New Business:**

NHDES Wetlands Application #2020-02239, Granite State Landfill, Dalton NH

-Chairman Lombardi had received an e-mail from Sarah Doucette stating that the NRI information that was quoted was good stuff. Jeanne Robillard was to look at the NRI (Natural Resource Inventory).

-Donald LaPlante stated a letter should be sent to NH Solid Waste Management asking for any and all material on the proposed project. The Commission worked on an e-mail to NHDES Solid Waste Management Bureau. (see attached)

-Chairman Lombardi asked if someone knew anything on the purchase of DG Whitefield to Stored Solar LLC to let the Commission know. Edith Worcester stated that she looked it up online and they are out of Enfield ME, phone # 207-732-4151, she called it stated, Bill Harrington was not in but to leave a message. Stored Solar LLC has bought out a lot of plants like DG Whitefield. Concerns from the Commission were on what type of material would be accepted. It was also noted that this Company may be interested in a piece of property owned by the Town of Whitefield that is across the road. These were all speculating thoughts and if anything comes up then it will be brought up at the next meeting per Chairman Lombardi. Donald LaPlante stated that any concerns that the Commission have can be part of the permitting process if property is purchased or if a different use.

-A letter was written to Craig Rennie of NHDES Wetlands Bureau re:NHDES Wetlands Application #2020-02239 stating the Commissions opposition to the proposed Casella Landfill (see attached). Valerie Yelton advised that we need to be careful not to be flooding peoples e-mails with the different letters.

Donald LaPlante left the meeting at 5:05 PM.

The Board will continue to monitor the Casella Landfill proposal.

**A motion was made by Edith Worcester to adjourn the meeting at 6:00 PM, seconded by Valerie Yelton. All in favor, meeting adjourned.**

Respectfully submitted by: Joyce A. McGee – Acting Secretary     Frank Lombardi - Chairman

