



# Town of Griswold



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## GRISWOLD INLAND WETLAND AND WATERCOURSES CONSERVATION COMMISSION

### REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

APRIL 16, 2009

GRISWOLD TOWN HALL- FIRST FLOOR MEETING ROOM  
28 MAIN STREET, JEWETT CITY, CT 06351

#### I. REGULAR MEETING (7:30 P.M.)

1. **Call to Order:** Chairman Kinnie called the meeting to order at 7:30 P.M.
2. **Roll Call & Determination of a Quorum:** Members present were Kinnie, Waitte, Parette, Rubino, Stadnicki and Alternates Laidley and Matthews. Chairman Kinnie seated Alternate Laidley for Glen Norman and Matthews for Chris Gagne. There was a quorum present to conduct business. WEO Zvingilas, and Town Planner Fontneau were also present.
3. **Applications:** No applications were received for this agenda
4. **Additional Business (new applications):** There were no new applications received since the agenda was filed.
5. **Reports from the Enforcement Officer:** WEO Zvingilas explained a road drainage issue in the area of Jennifer Lane and Pachaug Pond where a solution is being planned with the Highway Supervisor and landowner Giard. This will require some sort of IWWCC permit in the future. A second road drainage complaint was received in the area of Walter Drive/Sunset View along state Route 201. A summary of the status of retaining walls constructed over the winter under permits in Pachaug Pond was also offered.
6. **Old Business**

(Glen Norman arrives at 7:45 P.M. and is seated in place of Larry Laidley)

**6A. CC 17-09 Slater Mill Associates, 143 Merrow Road, Tolland, CT 06064.**  
**Property location: 49 Wedgewood Drive, Jewett City.** Applicant requests approval of activity within the 150 foot commercial regulated area in order to store above-ground temporary storage containers place on an existing concrete

slab. The property is in the Borough-Industrial Zoning District. The details of this application were presented in detail during the March 26, 2009 Special Meeting. After some review of the earlier application materials, Rubino MOVED, SECONDED by Stadnicki to approve CC 17-09 subject to appropriate erosion and sedimentation controls and there being no hazardous materials stored in the trailers. MOTION CARRIED unanimously.

7. **New Business:** None
8. **Approval of Minutes:** After some discussion about adding “not” between “stated” and “to” under page 3 and CC 16-09, Stadnicki MOVED, SECONDED by Matthews to approve the minutes of March 26 Special Meeting as amended. MOTION CARRIED unanimously.
9. **Communications:** There was no discussion of the letters but another letter from Jewett City Department of Public Utilities was added to correspondence.
10. **Reports from Members:** The resignation of Chris Gagne was discussed briefly since this meeting was so well attended. Kinnie explained that it was customary for the IWWCC to recommend their more experience alternates to the Board of Selectmen for appointment to fill vacancies of regular members of this Commission as advisors to the BOS. Alternate Matthews was asked if she were interested in being recommended for the regular member vacancy created by the Gagne resignation. She declined because of an expected future change in her work commitments. Kinnie then asked Alternate Laidley if he were interested and he said he would appreciate this recommendation. Kinnie asked if the Clerk could compose a letter to the Board of Selectmen recommending that they consider favorably the appointment of Larry Laidley as a Regular Member of Inland Wetlands and Watercourse Conservation Commission. Larry Laidley reported on his training workshop with CTDEP and offered to copy DVDs he received only for use of other commissioners. Chairman Kinnie also suggested that members who were not at both of the show-cause hearing for the Johanson/Reil drainage complaints listen to the tapes available in the land use office.
11. **Conservation Commission Matters:** Minutes of the Natural Resource Inventory Subcommittee were summarized and members were reminded that the next subcommittee meeting would be at 5:30 P.M. on Thursday May 7, 2009.
12. **Adjournment:** There being no further business, Stadnicki MOVED, SECONDED by Parette to adjourn the meeting at 8:23 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Carl S. Fontneau, Town Planner