

# Town of Reading Meeting Posting with Agenda

# **Board - Committee - Commission - Council:**

Conservation Commission		
Date: 2024-02-28		Time: 7:00 PM
Building: Reading Town Hall		Location: Berger Room
Address:		Agenda:
Purpose:	Zoom Virtual Meeting- Conservation Commission Meeting	
Meeting Called By:	Chuck Tirone, Conservation Administrator	

Notices and agendas are to be posted 48 hours in advance of the meetings excluding Saturdays, Sundays and Legal Holidays. Please keep in mind the Town Clerk's hours of operation and make necessary arrangements to be sure your posting is made in an adequate amount of time. A listing of topics that the chair reasonably anticipates will be discussed at the meeting must be on the agenda.

#### All Meeting Postings must be submitted in typed format; handwritten notices will not be accepted.

#### **Topics of Discussion:**

THIS IS A HYBRID MEETING: The Conservation Commission and Public may attend in-person in the Berger Meeting Room or remotely via Zoom as follows:

Topic: Conservation Commission' Zoom Meeting Time: Feb 28, 2024 07:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada) Join Zoom Meeting <u>https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84370119824</u> Meeting ID: 843 7011 9824 One tap mobile +16465189805,,84370119824# US (New York) +16465588656,,84370119824# US (New York) Dial by your location • +1 646 518 9805 US (New York) • +1 646 558 8656 US (New York)

Meeting ID: 843 7011 9824 Find your local number: <u>https://us06web.zoom.us/u/kcJys7o3r6</u>

Members of the public are strongly encouraged to send written comments regarding any of the hearings listed below to the Conservation Agent Chuck Tirone at <u>ctirone@ci.reading.ma.us</u>



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#### **Public Hearings Scheduled**

#### 1. O Small Lane

Continue the Public Hearing on a Notice of Intent, filed by LLC, Meagan Johnson, Del Rey Realty, Pursuant to Massachusetts General Law, Chapter 131, Section 40-the Wetlands Protection Act and/or the Reading Wetland protection By-law, Section 7.1, the applicant proposes the construction of a limited project stream crossing, retaining walls, wetland alteration, wetland replication, drainage, grading, and associated utilities. All work is within 100 feet of a Bordering Vegetated Wetland. The application and plans can be viewed on the Conservation Division page under the current project, **Assessor's Map 40 & 41 Lot 153, 155 & 29 Dep File No. 270-0748** At the applicant's request this hearing will be continued until May 22, 2024

## 2. 252- 262 Main St. & 10 Pinevale Ave.

Continue the Public Hearing on a Notice of Intent, filed by Saverio Filciniti, BLVD Reading, LLC, Pursuant to Massachusetts General Law, Chapter 131, Section 40-the Wetlands Protection Act and/or the Reading Wetland protection By-law, Section 7.1, The applicant is proposing site improvements include the demolishing of three buildings, clearing of existing vegetation and constructing one mixed-use building. Other improvements to the site include construction of surface parking, landscaping and underground utilities servicing the site. portions of the work are within the 100-Foot Buffer Zone to a Bordering Vegetated Wetlands (BVW). The application and plans can be viewed during regular business hours at the Town Hall Conservation Office, 16 Lowell Street Reading, MA 01867, and on the Conservation Division page under the project by year, **Assessor's Map 11 Lot 192, 194, 196 Dep File No. 270-0779** At the applicant's request this hearing will be continued until March 13, 2024

#### 3. 246 - 248 Walnut St.

Open the Public Hearing on a Notice of Intent, filed by Stella Construction, Pursuant to Massachusetts General Law, Chapter 131, Section 40-the Wetlands Protection Act and/or the Reading Wetland protection By-law, Section 7.1, The applicant is proposing construction of a two-lot subdivision with and associated 150-foot paved private way partially within the Riverfront Area and Buffer Zone associated with a Bordering Vegetated Wetland. The application and plans can be viewed during regular business hours at the Town Hall Conservation Office, 16 Lowell Street Reading, MA 01867, and on the Conservation Division page under the project by year, **Assessor's Map 3 Lot 19 Dep File No. 270-0781** 



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## **Old/New Business**

- **4. Motion by the Chair** to revise the Tree Policy adding the words "or Conservation Fund" after the phrase "Shade Tree Fund"
- Violation Notices, yard waste and encroachment on Conservation Land, Follow-ups 51 Cross Street, 30 Henzie, shed, 126 Hanscom Ave, 30 Chequessett, 22, 8, 14, Oakridge Road, 38, 34 Bond
- 6. 50 Azalea Circle request for plan change, Debjyoti Ghosh

## **Discussion Items**

- 7. MACC Annual Environmental Conference March 2, 2024
- 8. Symonds Way exploratory committee update, Commissioner Dribin
- 9. The Commission will discuss updating the rules for Bare Meadow and other conservation land around town, Commissioners Moore & Bowe
- 10. Conservation/DPW Monthly Meeting 5 March
- 11. Bills approved, 0 Waverley Road survey
- **12. Administrators Report:**
- **13. Minutes for approval:** 2/14/2024

#### ADJOURNMENT

\*Not within the 48 hours due to the current emergency situation

cc: Conservation Commission & website.