

**Barrington Conservation Commission
Minutes for August 11, 2015 Meeting
School Committee Room, Barrington**

Attendance

X	Boyes, David (Treasurer)	X	Myatt, Ted
X	Burlingame, Jim	X	Roberts, Joseph (Secretary)
X	Fuller, Cyndee (Chair)	X	Speakman, June (Town Council)
X	Materne, Doug	X	Weeden, Leslie

Barrington Conservation Commission

Called to order at 7:32PM

Zoning Board

New Applications for Review and Recommendation

No new applications.

Past Applications for Review and Recommendation

Application #3809, Eric Gardner, Assessor's Plat 33, Lot 6, R-10 District, 1 Bowden Ave, Barrington, RI

Zoning approved with Conservation Commission recommendations.

Town Council

Asking State of Rhode Island to amend the construction of the Police Cove boat ramp to current length and depth rather than the specifications proposed by the state.

More legal work needed on the question of abandoning paper road on High Street.

Echo Lake Proposal

Council followed recommendations of Conservation Commission and other town boards to not provide town funds for a privately owned parcel.

Reusable Bag Initiative

Conservation Commission discussed the ordinance and the existing loophole for 2.25ml plastic bags. The Conservation Commission suggests specific changes to Ordinance 2012-7 as in

the attached markup of the existing ordinance. Motion (C. Fuller), Second, J. Roberts, Approved
6-1.

Administration

- D. Boyes, Motion to Approve July 2015 Minutes as amended (J. Burlingame Second), Approved.

Commissioner Task Updates

- Joseph:
 - Earth Day Cleanup/Plastic Bag Initiative
- Leslie
 - Film series
- Doug:
 - Police Cove
 - Rayner Wildlife Refuge/Nockum Hill
- Cyndee:
- David:
 - Phase II/MS4
 - Tree City USA
- Ted:
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- Jim:
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Having no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:35PM