

Town of Chili Conservation Board

Adopted Meeting Minutes

February 5, 2024

7:00 pm

Attendance: Present: Larry Lazenby, Jill Fornarola, Matt Sinacola, Carolyn DeHority, Richard Schickler, Bill Steimer, Mark DeCory (Town Liaison)

Absent: None

Guests: there were no guests at tonight's meeting.

Tonight's meeting was called to order at 7:05 pm by Chairperson Larry Lazenby. Draft Meeting minutes from the January 8, 2024, meeting were reviewed. There were no corrections or revisions noted. A motion to approve the meeting minutes as amended and noted above was made by Dick Schickler and seconded by Carolyn DeHority. The board voted unanimously to approve the minutes.

There are no guests this evening.

Town Liaison Report: Mark DeCory.

The new animal shelter behind the highway department is expected to be ready at the end of March.

The proposed tree planting policy has been moved to the attention of the Town Board and will be presented at a future meeting.

(MCEC) Monroe County Environmental Council: Larry Lazenby

There was a presentation by Jeff Meyers discussing the procedures and practices of county waste haulers and the difficulty they are having getting workers and the effect it has on county schedules.

A second presentation was put on by Stephen Peletz from the Monroe County Dept. of Environmental Services. Topics included:

- Water Treatment, Past and Present

- Landfills, longevity

- ECO Park – 28 participating communities

- Vape / E-Cigs, becoming the most difficult product to detect in waste. Manufacturers are making the products to look like Markers, Highlighters, Crayons, etc. to appeal to students.

REVIEW OF SCHEDULED PUBLIC HEARINGS:

Town of Chili Planning Board Agenda, dated February 13, 2024.

Board Action:

- 1. 50 Air Park Drive – This was a return application based on a previous board meeting. The applicant was asked to include added planting to their proposed project, include a price estimate for the project and landscaping, include a stamp by a licensed landscape architecture.**
- 2. The plantings were added, all price estimates were included, and the newly submitted plans included a stamp by a licensed landscape architecture.**

Motion was made by Jill Fornarola to accept the plans as submitted and seconded by Bill Steimer. Motion passed unanimously.

OTHER BUSSNESS:

Larry handed out to all board members a copy of the Town Of Chili Conservation Board Policy and Responsibilities. Members are asked to read the material through carefully and be prepared to discuss the document fully at the next meeting on March 4, 2024.

Larry announced Daryl Oehdner will be our new Conservation Board member when approved by the Town Board.

Larry reminded everyone to take as soon as possible this year's required tests on Sexual Harassment and Violence in the Workplace.

It was requested that Larry check with the EMC to see if there are any communities within Monroe County who have contracted with a single waste hauler. Larry confirmed he would follow through at his next EMC meeting

Next meeting will be on March 4, 2024

Richard motioned to adjourn the meeting at 8:50 PM, Carolyn seconded the motion. Passed unanimous

Recorded and submitted – Matt Sinacola, Secretary, February 8, 2024 (L.L.)