

TOWN OF FARMINGTON
LAND ACQUISITION COMMITTEE
March 12, 2019

The meeting of the Farmington Land Acquisition Committee was held on March 12, 2019 at the Farmington Town Hall. Present were Committee Members Boye-Williams, Cianci, Cowles, Hannon, Wadsworth and Wolf, and Land Acquisition Consultant Dolphin.

Also present was Pamela Wolf, Farmington resident.

Call Meeting to Order:

Committee Chair Boye-Williams called the meeting to order at 5:02 p.m.

Public Comment: None

Approval of Minutes:

Upon MOTION made and seconded (Wadsworth/Hannon) it was unanimously VOTED (Committee Member Cianci abstained) to approve the minutes of the February 14, 2019 meeting as written.

Correspondence: None

New Business: None

Old Business:

Acquisition Update

Ms. Dolphin reported that the Conservation Commission voted to recommend adding 9485 Mountain Road to the Land Acquisition List at their March 6, 2019 meeting. Commissioners briefly discussed the numbering of newly listed properties, since the properties were now listed geographically. Committee members agreed to simply place new listings at the end of the list. Committee Chair Boye-Williams asked Committee Member Wadsworth to reach out to the owner.

Ms. Dolphin gave a brief update on the Dunning property at 8732 River Road, noting that she hoped to hear back from the Town Attorney before the next meeting.

She also reported that construction had begun at 566 Plainville Avenue (LA #18), so that it should be removed from the Land Acquisition List. Commissioner Cowles gave an update on the Farmington Land Trust's acquisition of Connecticut Water Co. land at 8177 Diamond Glen (LA #63) and 45 Reservoir Road (LA #64), noting that they are still negotiating with the State of Connecticut regarding the release of an old ROW that was found on the property.

Executive Session to discuss selection of site or purchase of real estate

Upon MOTION made and seconded (Wadsworth/Cowles) it was unanimously

VOTED: to go into Executive Session. The session was opened at 5:14 p.m. Attending were Committee Members Boye-Williams, Cianci, Cowles, Hannon, Wadsworth and Wolf, and Land Acquisition Consultant Dolphin.

Executive Session was adjourned at 5:40 p.m.

A MOTION (Wadsworth/Cianci) to adjourn was adopted at 5:40 p.m.

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