



City of Westfield Municipal Conservation Commission

AUGUST 22, 2023, AT 6:30PM

MEETING OF THE WESTFIELD CONSERVATION COMMISSION
ROOM 201, 59 COURT STREET WESTFIELD, MA

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Note: The listings of matters are those reasonably anticipated by the Chair which may be discussed at the meeting. Not all items listed may in fact be discussed and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law.

This meeting follows the following format:

1. Representative present project to the commission
2. Commission asks questions and makes comments
3. Commission Chairman opens item for public comment relating to the charge and jurisdiction of the committee

The Commission will only discuss activities proposed within Jurisdictional Areas pursuant to the purview granted by the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act, its regulations (310 CMR 10.00), and Westfield Wetlands Protection Ordinance, those responsibilities being:

- Protection of public and private water supply
- Storm damage prevention
- Protection of land containing shellfish
- Protection of wildlife habitat
- Protection of ground water supply
- Prevention of pollution
- Protection of fisheries
- Flood control

Review pending applications here: <https://www.cityofwestfield.org/conservationfilings>

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. OPEN PARTICIPATION

- A. Any members of the public who would like to address the Commission concerning items **not the subject of a public hearing.**

3. PUBLIC MEETINGS (RDAs)

- A. 240 Russellville Road
Proposal: Septic tank installation within Buffer Zone
- B. 420 Russellville Road – Kosinski Farms
Proposal: Building footbridge over intermittent stream

4. PUBLIC HEARINGS (NOIs)

- A. Little River Levee – City of Westfield
Proposal: Removal of all vegetation on levee in riverfront area and flood zone

- B. 1515 Granville Road – Springfield Water and Sewer Commission
Proposal: Installation of pipeline and valve chamber within bank, land under water, and riverfront area
- C. 0 Bayberry Lane – Serge Novenko
Proposal: Construction of single-family home within bordering vegetated wetland and associated buffer zone

5. CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE

- A. 1090 Southampton Road – DEP File #333-786
Project: Construction of Pioneer Valley Pools and Spas
- B. 95 New Broadway – DEP File #333-762
Project: Construction of single-family home

6. ENFORCEMENT ORDERS

- A. 65 Butternut Road
Violation: Dumping of fill in wetland
- B. 93 Sackett Road
Violation: Clearing of vegetation along intermittent stream
- C. 246 Russellville Road
Violation: Working in 50ft no disturb zone without a permit
- D. 0 Bayberry Lane
Violation: Clearing of vegetation and disturbance of wetland

7. COMMISSION DISCUSSION

- A. Conservation Restriction 0 East Mountain Rd – Michael and Susan Dupuis
- B. Regulations & Procedures Q&A
 - a. Filing Fees
 - b. Local Ordinance Only Applications
- C. Review and approval minutes
 - a. April 25, 2023
 - b. May 23, 2023
- D. Pitoniak Fields Scope of Work
- E. Review of any additional administrative items
 - a. Sign permits

8. MOTION TO ADJORN

Upcoming Meeting Dates (subject to change):

8-22-2023	10-24-2023
9-12-2023	11-14-2023
9-26-2023	11-28-2023
10-10-2023	