# ACTION SHEET CONSERVATION COMMISSION

## 1 JUNKINS AVENUE PORTSMOUTH, NEW HAMPSHIRE EILEEN DONDERO FOLEY COUNCIL CHAMBERS

3:30 P.M. February 08, 2023

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Chair Barbara McMillan; Vice Chair Samantha Collins; Members:

Allison Tanner, Lynn Vaccaro, Jessica Blasko, Thaddeus

Jankowski, Stewart Sheppard, and Alternates: Abigail Gindele and

Brian Gibb

**MEMBERS ABSENT:** 

**ALSO PRESENT:** Peter Britz, Environmental Planner/Sustainability Coordinator and

Kate Homet, Associate Environmental Planner

## I. ELECTION OF OFFICERS

1. Chair/ Vice-Chair

After due deliberation, the Commission voted to elect Samantha Collins as Chair and Barbara McMillan as Vice-Chair.

## II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. December 14, 2022

After due deliberation, the Commission voted to approve the minutes as amended.

## III. STATE WETLAND BUREAU APPLICATIONS (NEW BUSINESS)

Minor Impact
 393 New Castle Avenue
 David Sinclair & Nicole Guisto, Owners
 Map 207, Lot 5

After due deliberation, the Commission voted to recommend **approval** to the State Wetlands Bureau with the following **stipulations**:

- 1. Plantings should be added to the eastern side of the property to stabilize the bank.
- 2. A maintenance plan should be added for the pervious pavement and walkway pavers.
- Standard Dredge and Fill
  227 Market Street

227 Market Street, LLC, Owner Map 119, Lot 6

After due deliberation, the Commission voted to recommend **approval** to the State Wetlands Bureau with the following **stipulations**:

- 1. A maintenance plan should be included for the Contech device.
- 2. All soils and materials disturbed while installing the Contech filter should be properly disposed of.
- Standard Dredge and Fill
  105 Bartlett Street
  Iron Horse Properties, LLC, Owner
  Map 157, Lots 1 & 2, Map 164, Lots 1 & 4-2

At the request of the applicant, the Commission voted to **postpone** the application to the March 08, 2023 Conservation Commission meeting.

## IV. OTHER BUSINESS

Chair McMillan introduced member Stewart Sheppard to the Commission. Ms. Blasko mentioned an Earth Day kickoff event in partnership with the Portsmouth Public Library that would take place on Friday, April 21, 2023 from 4-7pm at the Connie Bean Center. Chair McMillan discussed the annual City Report with members and announced that a working group focused on ordinance changes was approved. Mr. Jankowski then gave the Commission a brief update on the Organic Land Care Committee.

## V. ADJOURNMENT

At 4:36 p.m., the Commission voted to adjourn the meeting.