

Town of Blandford
Conservation Commission Agenda
April 29th, 2024 6:00 PM
Blandford Town Hall, 1 Russel Stage Road, Blandford MA

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Review/Finalize Minutes:

1. April 8th Meeting

New Business

2. **Request for Determination of Applicability:** submitted by the Springfield Water and Sewer Commission for the work associated with the maintenance of Falls Road. A portion of the work occurs within a Bordering Vegetated Wetland.
3. **Request for Determination of Applicability:** submitted by the Springfield Water and Sewer Commission for the mechanical removal of invasive plant species within several resource areas and their buffer zones. Work will take place in three locations within Springfield Water and Sewer Commission land (Map 414, Lot 15).

Continuing Business:

4. **Notice of Intent:** Submitted by David Waldron c/o Town of Blandford Highway Department for work on all Town owned roads in Blandford, MA (Road ROW). Work will include, but not be limited to: Maintenance and repair of existing roadways, vegetation removal, sediment removal and replacing/repairing existing drainage structures MassDEP File # 111-0062.
5. **Update:** Order of Conditions 111-0061 at 15 Woronoco Rd. Parcel ID 421-0-50
 - a. Agent mailed letter written by chair
6. **Update:** Vernal pool certifications
7. Discussion: Knittel Conservation Area Hay Harvesting
 - a. Dick Gates/John piper motion that Ripples can hay north field, Dave Toporowski hay the south field, carries 3-0-0
8. **Update:** Shephard Farm
9. Continue discussion on establishment of new trails, parking area and trail head on North Blandford Road for Long Pond Conservation Area.

Next Meeting: April 22nd, 2024