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Division of Planning & Regulatory Services

Our Mission:

To provide credible, timely, and accessible data and analysis for decision-making and problem solving for land and programmatic development

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Upcoming Meetings

December 16, 2019 January 27, 2020 February 10, 2020 March 2, 2020 March 23, 2020 April 13, 2020 May 4, 2020

City of Worcester Conservation Commission Meeting Agenda

Monday November 25, 2019

Worcester City Hall Levi Lincoln Chamber, Room 309, 455 Main Street, 5:30 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER: 5:30 PM

REQUESTS FOR CONTINUANCES, POSTPONEMENTS, WITHDRAWALS

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: 8/5/19; 10/7/19

PUBLIC HEARINGS

OLD BUSINESS - NOTICES OF INTENT

1. 20 Pine Hill Road (MBL 38-035-00004)

File #: CC-2019-014; DEP # 349-1238
Applicant: Berthiaume Contracting, LLC

<u>Project:</u> To construct a single family house and conduct associated site work Jurisdiction: MA Wetlands Protection Act and the City of Worcester Wetlands

Protection Ordinance

2. Salisbury Hill (aka property located off of Salisbury Hill Boulevard and Barrows Road; FKA 727 Salisbury Street) (MBL CO-NDO-02019)

<u>File #:</u> CC-2019-035; DEP # 349-1253

Applicant: Premier Property Group

Project: To construct 114 age-restricted condominium units with associated

roadways, utilities, and stormwater infrastructure

Jurisdiction: MA Wetlands Protection Act and the City of Worcester Wetlands

Protection Ordinance

NEW BUSINESS – REQUEST FOR DETERMINATION OF APPLICABILITY

3. Right-of-Way Associated with Cambridge Street from Intersection of Pitt Street to Kansas Street and Right-of-Way Associated with Kansas Street from Cambridge Street to Lawrence Street

File #: CC-2019-069 Applicant: National Grid

<u>Project:</u> To install approximately 485 linear feet of underground duct bank <u>Jurisdiction:</u> Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act and City of Worcester

Wetlands Protection Ordinance

4. 47 Quinsigamond Avenue AKA Crompton Park (MBL 05-022-00003)

File #: CC-2019-070

Applicant: City of Worcester Department of Public Works and Parks

Project: To conduct geotechnical borings bank

<u>Jurisdiction</u>: Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act and City of Worcester

Wetlands Protection Ordinance

NEW BUSINESS – NOTICES OF INTENT

5. 757 Salisbury Street (MBL 50-023-00001)

File #: CC-2019-045

Applicant: HP Acquisitions, LLC

Project: To demolish existing buildings and construct three multi-family

structures, grading, paving, pool, stormwater infrastructure, and

related site work.

Jurisdiction: City of Worcester Wetlands Protection Ordinance

6. 305 Belmont Street (MBL 57-004-B1-01, -02, -04)

File #: CC-2019-063; DEP#349-XXXX

Applicant: WuXi Biologics

Project: To construct a two-story biomanufacturing building, parking lots and access drives, pedestrian walkways,

stormwater management system, utilities, landscaping, and associated site work

<u>Jurisdiction</u>: MA Wetlands Protection Act and the City of Worcester Wetlands Protection Ordinance

7. 4 & 8 Washburn Street and 590 & 610 Southbridge Street (MBL 07-042 -00002, -00004, -03+11, -00033)

File #: CC-2019-065 (Amending CC-2018-016); DEP#349-1189

Applicant: Branded Realty Group 2 LLC

<u>Project:</u> To amend the existing order of conditions to include 8 Washburn Street and to permit, partially

retroactively, the demolition of existing structures, grading, creation of parking, utilities, and landscaping

Jurisdiction: Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act and the City of Worcester Wetlands Protection Ordinance

8. 135 Goddard Memorial Drive & 3 Coppage Drive (MBL 56-010-00002, 56-INX-0000G)

File #: CC-2019-067

Applicant: The TJX Companies Inc.

Project: To reconstruct a parking lot and associated site work

Jurisdiction: Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act and the City of Worcester Wetlands Protection Ordinance

9. Right-of-Way Associated with Bittersweet Boulevard, Indigo Circle, and Snowberry Circle AKA Arboretum Village Subdivision Phase IV

File #: CC-2019-068

Applicant: Arboretum Village LLC

<u>Project:</u> To construct a roadway, install utilities, perform grading, and associated site work

Jurisdiction: City of Worcester Wetlands Protection Ordinance

10. 20 Sherer Trail (MBL 42-026-00005)

File #: CC-2019-071
Applicant: Nicholas Hoffman

Project: To demolish a shed, construct a single family home, driveway, utilities, grading, and associated site work

Jurisdiction: Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act and the City of Worcester Wetlands Protection Ordinance

11. 102 Randolph Road AKA The Oasis at Dodge Park (MBL 22-002-00002)

File #: CC-2019-072

Applicant: KMRN Investment, LLC

Project: To construct a new 25-bed nursing home facility with associated landscaping, grading, drainage, utility

work, and associated site work

Jurisdiction: Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act and the City of Worcester Wetlands Protection Ordinance

OTHER BUSINESS

12. Request for Extension of Time

a. 128 Alvarado Avenue (CC-2008-045 / CC-2017-017; DEP#349-963)

13. Project Change Request

- a. 128 Alvarado Avenue (CC-2008-045) request to modify house configuration
- b. 457 Granite Street (CC-2018-010; DEP# 349-1187) request to add shed and driveway
- c. 261 Clover Street AKA 175 James Street (CC-2017-077; DEP#349-1174) request to modify entrance

14. Requests for Certificates of Compliance

- a. 11 Nathaniel Court (CC-2018-025)
- b. 1059 Grafton Street (CC-2018-070; DEP#349-1220)

15. Enforcement Order and Violation Updates

- a. 100 Goldthwaite Road (AKA White Birch Commons (FKA Burncoat Gardens)) (CC-2013-057; DEP #349-1075; CC-EO-2017-001)
- b. Arboretum Village (CC-EO-2019-004; UAO-CE-13-6W003; ACOP-CE-14-W005-NT-SEP-SETT)
- c. Country Club Acres (AKA Garrison Avenue & 190 Mountain Street East; Cobblestone) (CC-2007-025; DEP #349-931; CC-EO-2017-009; UAO-CE-18-6W001)
- d. 20 Quinsigamond Avenue (CC-2014-002; DEP#349-1077; CC-EO-2018-004)
- e. 128 Alvarado Ave (CC-2008-045 / CC-2017-017; DEP#349-963; CC-EO-2016-004)
- f. Burncoat Heights (CC-2017-043; CC-EO-2019-001)
- g. 351 Bridle Path (CC-2018-089; DEP#349-1230; EO-CC-2019-003)
- h. 21 Paradox Drive (CC-2018-002; DEP#349-1182; EO-CC-2019-004)

16. Discussion of Commission Regulations, Processes & Procedures

a. Discuss proposed budget for FY20

17. Communications

- a. Forest Carbon: An essential natural solution for climate change, from UMass Amherst; received 10/28/19
- b. City of Worcester Open Space and Recreation Plan 2020 Outreach Dates, from City of Worcester Parks Department, received 11/8/19
- 18. Discussion of Special Conditions and Issuance of Orders of Conditions
- 19. Signing of Decisions

ADJOURNMENT