



MAYOR
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Notice is hereby given that in accordance with the Massachusetts Wetland Protection Act, MGL Chapter 131, Section 40 & the Wetlands Protection Ordinance Section 15-101 through Sec 15-112 of a Remote Public Meeting to be held by the New Bedford Conservation Commission on February 16, 2021 at 6:30 P.M., to consider the following Public Hearings and Other Business:

This Remote Public Hearing may be accessed as follows:

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://zoom.us/j/94432228960?pwd=WTN4Um43Nms3UVFXb1IwN1hTdTljUT09>

Meeting ID: 944 3222 8960

Passcode: 568085

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Please note due to the Covid-19 outbreak, Governor Baker has issued an Executive Order prohibiting gathering of 10 people or more, effective March 24, 2020. Further Mayor Mitchell closed City buildings to the public effective March 17, 2020. This effectively means that boards & commissions may not meet in person with the public during the time that these state and city orders are in effect. However, pursuant to the March 12 executive order issued by Governor Baker that relaxed the requirements of the Open Meeting Law, boards and commissions may meet entirely remotely. This meeting will be held over a virtual/telephone conference line. Virtual and Call-in access information is provided above.

AGENDA

CALL MEETING TO ORDER
ROLL CALL OF COMMISSIONERS
General Procedures for Meeting



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OLD BUSINESS:

NONE.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. **SE49-0632** – Request for a Certificate of Compliance as filed by Richard J. Rheume on behalf of Mark Dickinson for property identified as 85 Coggeshall Street (Map 93, Lots 167, 213, 245, 262, 263, 264, & 265). Representative is Richard J. Rheume of Prime Engineering.
2. A Request for Determination of Applicability as filed by Ryan and Sherri Ellis for property identified as 400 Rodney French Boulevard (Map 0009, Lot 0371). The applicant proposes to construct a deck to the front of their single-family dwelling. Representative is Sherri Ellis.
3. A Request for Determination of Applicability as filed by Michael W. Panagakos for property identified as Phillips Road, (Map 136, Lot 468). The applicant is requesting verification of the boundaries of the Bordering Vegetated Wetlands as depicted on the plan. Representative is Daniel Gioiosa of SITEC.
4. A Request for Determination of Applicability as filed by Valovia Costa of City of New Bedford Parks, Recreation & Beaches., for property identified as 1 Oneida Street, (Map 49, Lot 14). The applicant proposes to convert approximately 2,800 s.f., of existing lawn to a pollinator garden. Representative is Valovia Costa of City of New Bedford Parks, Recreation & Beaches.

CONTINUED HEARINGS:

1. **SE49-0735** – (Continued from 3/15/16, 4/5/16, 4/19/16, 5/3/16, 5/17/16, 6/7/16, 6/21/16, 7/5/16, 7/19/16, 8/16/16, 9/6/16, 9/20/16, 10/6/16, 10/18/16, 11/1/16, 11/15/16, 12/20/16, 12/27/16, 1/17/17, 2/7/17, 2/21/17, 3/7/17, 3/21/17, 4/4/17, 4/18/17, 5/2/17, 5/16/17, 6/6/17, 6/20/17, 7/5/17, 7/18/17, 8/8/17, 8/22/17, 9/5/17, 9/19/17, 10/3/17, 10/17/17, 11/7/17, 11/21/17, 12/5/17, 12/19/17, 1/2/18, 1/16/18, 2/6/18, 2/20/18, 3/6/18, 3/20/18, 4/3/18, 4/17/18, 5/1/18, 5/15/18, 6/5/18, 6/19/18, 7/3/18, 7/17/18, 8/7/18, 8/21/18, 9/4/18, 9/17/18, 10/2/18, 10/16/18, 11/6/18, 1/20/18, 12/4/18, 12/18/18, 01/8/19, 1/22/19, 2/5/19, 2/19/19, 3/5/19, 3/19/19, 4/4/19, 4/16/19, 5/7/19, 5/21/19, 6/4/19, 6/18/19, 7/2/19, 7/16/19, 8/6/19, 8/27/19, 9/3/19, 9/17/19, 10/2/19, 10/15/19, 11/5/19, 11/19/19, 12/3/19, 12/17/19, 1/7/20, 1/21/20, 2/4/20, 2/18/20, 3/10/20, 3/24/20, 6/16/20, 7/7/20, 7/21/20, 8/3/20, 8/18/20, 9/1/20, 9/15/20, 10/6/20, 11/3/20, 11/17/20, 12/1/20, 12/15/20, 1/5/21, 1/19/21) - A Notice of Intent as filed by Anthony R. DeCosta d/b/a



A-1 Asphalt for property located at 1861 Shawmut Avenue, New Bedford (Map 124, Lot 27). Applicant proposes improvements to a soil and aggregate re-cycling facility in the Buffer Zone to Bordering Vegetated Wetlands. Representative is Tom Crotty, Esquire.

2. **SE49-0862 - (Continued from 1/5/21, 1/19/21) - A Notice of Intent as filed by Evan Slavitt of AVX Corporation for property identified as 700 & 740 Belleville Avenue (Map 12, Lots 88 & 252).** As a result of the Phase IV Remediation Action Plan, this project involves the completion of all remediation activities for the four OU's (OU1, OU2, OU3 & OU4) associated with the disposal site. The activities are located in the Riverfront Area and Storm Flowage, Coastal Resource Area, Land Under the Ocean, Coastal Banks, Salt Marshes, Land Containing Shellfish and Land Subject to Coastal Storm Flowage. Representative is Marilyn Wade of Brown and Caldwell.

NEW HEARINGS:

1. **SE49-0864 - Notice of Intent as filed by Amandio & Jose Araujo for property identified as 1265 Bartlett Street, (Map 134, Lots 299 & 305).** The applicants propose construction of a roadway within a wetland. The applicant is Christopher Gilbert of Farland Corp.
2. **SE49-0863 - A Notice of Intent as filed by Kathy Downey of Trio Algarvio, for property identified as 26 Green & Wood Pier (Map 042, Lot 268).** The applicant proposes pier repair to including timber foundation framework, building and repair, and seawall repair. Impacts to the Wetland Resources are Land Under the Ocean, Land Subject to Coastal Storm Flowage, Anadromous & Catadromous Fish Run and a Designated Port Area. The applicant is Brad Saunders of GEI Consultants, Inc.
3. **A Notice of Intent as filed by Joseph Swift of Crystal Ice Co., Inc., for property identified as 155, 178 Front Street, (Map 53, Lots 116-119, 241).** The applicant proposes to repair/replace portions of the timber wharf structure which are moderately to severely damaged due to vessel impact and timber deterioration. Representative is Richard Fitzgerald of AGM Marine.

NEW BUSINESS CONTINUED:

1. **Agent Updates/General Correspondence**
 - a. **Discussion for future project filing of new Hangars at NBRA with Steve Gioiosa & Leon Shabbott**
 - b. **MBTA VMP Appeal**
2. **Approval of January 19, 2021 Meeting Minutes**
3. **Election of Officers**

ADJOURN



Dennis Audette, Chairman

NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETING OF THE CONSERVATION COMMISSION IS TUESDAY, MARCH 2, 2021 AT 6:30 PM VIA ZOOM CONFERENCE

*In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), if any accommodations are needed, please contact Sandy Douglas at 508-991-6188 (sandy.douglas@newbedford-ma.gov) or MassRelay 711. Requests should be made as soon as possible but at least **48 Hours** prior to the scheduled meeting.*

The matters listed are those reasonably anticipated by the Chair to be discussed at the meeting. Not all items may, in fact, be discussed. Other items not listed may be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law. Massachusetts General Law, Chapter 30A, Section 21 requires any person making a video or audio recording to notify the Chair at the start of the meeting.

