Inland Wetlands & Watercourses Commission

SITE WALK Saturday, October 2, 2021 Final Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 9:00 a.m. by Lee Reichart, also in attendance were: William Wright, Raul Ferreira, Dennis Unites and WEO Candace Palmer. Absent: Michael Finiguerra and Nick Salerno.

IW #21-18 Robert J. & Rosanne N. O'Hara (Ian T. Cole-Agent) - Seeking a permit to replace existing pool, decking and install fence, patio and rain gardens within the upland review area. Property located on 33 Hopkins St., Stonington. Assessor's Map 127 Block 11 Lot 7 & 8, Zone RM-20.

Property owners Robert and Rosanne O'Hara, along with soil scientist Ian Cole were present for the application.

The applicant discussed the reconstruction of the swimming pool and explained the previous encroachment of the phragmites towards the house. Mr. O'Hara pointed out the area for the patio and rain garden.

Mr. Cole confirmed that the wetlands behind the house were inland wetlands and the area on the other side of the berm was tidal wetlands.

There was no further discussion.

Meeting adjourned at 9:12 a.m.

Dennis Unites, Secretary

Lee Reichart, Chairman