

Oyster River Local Advisory Committee Minutes of Meeting of March 11, 2013

Members Present: Eric Fiegenbaum, Dick Horan, Jim Hornbeck, John Wallace, Dave Shay, Steve Burns, Tom Falk, Jim Colbert

Approval of Previous Minutes: Minutes of meeting held February 11, 2013, approved with one minor typographical error.

- E. Fiegenbaum gave a brief demonstration of OR Delineation GIS software (ARCVIEW).
- E. Fiegenbaum gave an update on the River Corridor Management Plan development grant application. Discussed guidelines for developing plan. Considered including Durham's integrated watershed management plan.
- E. Fiegenbaum reported he has drafted a letter to the Lee ZBA giving comment on the proposed Dollar General Store project. Letter also sent to Lee Conservation Commission and Planning Board.
- Steve Burns reported on comments contained in T. Ballestero report to Town of Durham regarding the Great Bay Kennel expansion. (e.g., compost waste, monitor abutters wells). Discussion ensued. E. Fiegenbaum will draft letter to Durham Planning Board reaffirming what T. Ballestero indicated in his report.
- E. Fiegenbaum reported on Tibbetts Road Superfund Site five year review meeting. Site engineers felt that contaminant levels were too low to be concerned that the groundwater plume would reach and contaminate the Oyster River.
- E. Fiegenbaum reported that DES had sent a letter to Barrington Conservation Commission requesting comment regarding the Emerald Acres culvert replacement project.
- E. Fiegenbaum mentions that the Green Infrastructure for Sustainable Coastal Communities Advisory Board is looking for new members.
- J. Hornbeck presented nitrogen calculations derived from the VRAP sampling efforts. Using nitrogen and river flow data, he calculated a nitrogen load of 3 tons/acre/year. Very close to the 2.2 tons/acre/year N calculated by Michelle Daley in her UNH study.
- E. Fiegenbaum indicated that DES will be hosting an LAC workshop sometime in April.
- Meeting adjourned at 6:55PM

- **Next Meeting:** April 8, 2013

Submitted By _____
David Shay