

TOWN OF BRIGHTON CONSERVATION BOARD
MEETING MINUTES
September 10, 2019

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm. Attending were:

Dennis Adams, Chairperson
Karen Berger, V-Chairperson
Susan Riblett
Mitchell Nellis
George Smith
Mitchell Ball
Rick DiStefano, Secretary

David Briden was excused.

1. Public Forum

None

2. Meeting Minutes

Review of the August 13, 2019 meeting minutes. The minutes were unanimously approved.

3. Communications Received

Memo from Michael Guyon, Commissioner of Public Works, dated July 22, 2019, regarding emergency tree removals.

Memo from Michael Guyon, Commissioner of Public Works, dated August 21, 2019, regarding emergency tree removals.

Letter from Michael Guyon, Commissioner of Public Works, dated August 21, 2019, regarding Town tree removals.

4. Presentations

None

5. Project Reviews

9P-01-19 Clover Street (New House)

- Consider substituting Norway spruce with a similar native species.

9P-02-19 141 Old Mill Road

- All previous comments appear to have been adequately addressed.

6. EMC Report

No report.

7. Staff Report

No report.

8. Green Report

No report.

9. New Business

None

10. Old Business

None

11. Tree Council

The Council received tree evaluation reports for:

94 Hollywood Avenue	38" Silver maple
240 Thackery Road (on Esplanade)	28" Maple
1139 Highland Avenue	34" Sugar maple
45 Greenaway Road	32" Silver maple
150 Warrington Avenue	22" Maple

The Tree Council reviewed the forms and visited the sites. The Council is in agreement with the evaluations and supports the removal of the identified trees, and as recommended agrees replacement trees should be planted at the removal sites. However, as suggested in the tree evaluation report, an alternative planting site for the tree removed at 45 Greenaway Road should be considered.

Next Meeting Date

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 7:40 PM. The next regular meeting will be 7:00 PM, **October 15, 2019** .

Respectfully submitted: Rick DiStefano 9/25/2019.