



CONSERVATION COMMISSION

PUBLIC MEETING

2 Bathing Beach Road
Nantucket, Massachusetts 02554

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Monday, June 17, 2019

4 Fairgrounds Road, Community Room – 4:00 p.m.

Commissioners: Andrew Bennett(Chair), Ashley Erisman (Vice Chair), Ernie Steinauer, David LaFleur, Ben Champoux, Ian Golding, Joe Topham

Called to order at 4:07 p.m.

Staff in attendance: Jeff Carlson, Natural Resources Coordinator; Terry Norton, Town Minutes Taker

Attending Members: Bennett, Erisman, Steinauer, LaFleur, Champoux, Golding, Topham

Town Counsel: George Pucci, K&P Law P.C. (by phone)

Agenda adopted by unanimous consent

I. PUBLIC MEETING

A. Announcements

B. Public Comment – None

II. PUBLIC HEARING

A. Notice of Intent

1. Town of Nantucket – Jetties Beach, Jetties Beach Playground, the end of Jefferson Avenue & Children’s Beach (29-1, 29-2, Road Layout, 42.4.2-9) SE48- 3200

Sitting Bennett, Erisman, Steinauer, LaFleur, Champoux, Topham

Documentation Site and topographical plans, photos, requisite departmental reports and correspondence.

Representative Chas Rogers, Deputy Director Facilities Department of Public Works (DPW)

Public None

Discussion (4:08) None

Staff Still waiting for Massachusetts Natural Heritage.

Motion **Continued to June 19, 2019 by unanimous consent.**

Vote N/A

III. PUBLIC MEETING

C. Orders of conditions

1. Sconset Beach Preservation Fund – 59-119 Baxter Road (49&48-various) Area SE48-3115

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Documentation Draft denial; packet of states’ definitions of “imminent danger.”

Staff Reviewed the denial as drafted with the help of Town Counsel.

He will add “Coastal Dune” to Finding 1.

He will correct the submittal date for this NOI to read January 5, 2018.

Discussion (4:08) **Golding** – Some fellow commissioners expressed concerns about the definition of imminent danger and the protection of infrastructure. Reviewed other states’ definition of imminent danger; based upon those, he argues that a number of properties to the south are not in imminent danger.

Erisman – Under Finding 1, need to add “Coastal Dunes.”

Golding – In the project summary, you focus on information submitted in 2013 to 2014.

Bennett – Asked for a motion.

Motion **Motion to Approve the denial as amended.** (made by: Golding) (seconded by: Steinauer)

Vote Carried 4-3//LaFleur, Topham, and Champoux opposed

D. Other Business

1. Approval of Minutes 06/12/2019: Held
2. Monitoring Report
3. Enforcement Actions
 - a. None
4. Reports:
 - a. None
5. Commissioners Comment
 - a. None
6. Administrator/Staff Reports
 - a. Thanked the board for spending the time needed for this application.

Adjourned at 4:28 p.m. by unanimous consent.

Submitted by:
Terry L. Norton