INLAND WETLANDS & WATERCOURSES COMMISSION
TOWN OF VOLUNTOWN

December 1, 2016.

Members present were Lester Davis, Chairman Tom Sweet, John Moran and alternate Bob Panko. Wetlands Agent Joe Theroux was also present. Absent were regular members Andrew McLallen and Dave Miner. Alternate Tammy Daigneault was absent also.

There were no audience members.

The meeting was called to order at 7:37 p.m.

Approval of Minutes: John made a motion to approve the minutes from November 3, 2016 with a spelling correction. Change ridge to bridge. Lester seconded the motion, all were in favor. The minutes from the October 6th meeting could not be approved and were tabled until the next meeting.

New Business: John made a motion to keep the meeting schedule the same, the first Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m. Lester seconded the motion, all were in favor.

Lester made a motion to nominate Tom Sweet as Chairman, John seconded the motion. There were no other nominations. All were in favor of Tom Sweet as Chairman.

Correspondence: The Commission received a new updated registry of Soil Scientists, and a chance to give a membership to the CT Audubon Society.

Agent’s Report: Joe reported that he was supposed to meet with the road foreman Jim Crider at Bennett Rd. to see if there was any issues with water runoff from the Town Road and Buckley Drive. They will reschedule.

John asked what the NECCOG meeting that was cancelled was about. Joe explained it was an informational meeting to discuss how to properly run a meeting, It has not been rescheduled.

Joe received an email from DEEP Forestry. They are in the process of rewriting their forest management plan, and wanted to know if the Commission would like the State Forester to come in and do a presentation on what they are doing and would like their input. The Commission was in favor of this. Joe will let them know.

John made a motion to adjourn, Bob seconded the motion, all were in favor. The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted: Tom Sweet, Chairman