

**TOWN OF YORKTOWN CONSERVATION BOARD**  
**MEETING MINUTES**  
**May 18, 2022**

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**Board Members Present:** Patrick François, Peter Alduino, Robert Waterhouse, Robert Lena, Gerardo Carfagno, Kim Hughes - Secretary

**Board Members Absent:** Co-Chair Diane Dreier, Co-Chair Phyllis Bock, Justin Pruyne

**Guests:** Vincent Leto

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Patrick Francois called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. The meeting took place via Zoom Conference Call.

Approval of Minutes of Prior Meeting:

Communications Received:

Chair Persons Report: None

Reports from Other Committees: None

**1. 3628 Flanders Drive (LaCalamito)**

Stormwater Permit

Contact: Vincent Leto (845) 278-1700

Town Board Referral

The Conservation Board members met with Vincent Leto regarding 3628 Flanders Drive for a Stormwater Permit. The project has no tree removal or wetlands and no negative environmental impacts. The Board saw no issues with this moving forward.

**2. 2823 Hickory Street (Arroyo)**

Stormwater Permit

Contact: Vincent Leto (845) 278-1700

Town Board Referral

The Conservation Board members met with Vincent Leto regarding 2823 Hickory Street for a Stormwater Permit. The Board reviewed the plans with Mr. Leto. There is no tree removal, and all existing vegetation stays. The Town Engineer Dan Ciarcia is currently working on the Stormwater Plan. This project is in the preliminary stages and the CB members would like to discuss further at the next Board Meeting on June 1<sup>st</sup> 2022 before composing a memo.

**DISCUSSION:**

**3. 175 Campbell Road Correspondence**

Tree Removal Permit

Contact: Gabriella Weinberger

Engineering Dept. Referral

The Conservation Board met with Gabriella Weinberger regarding the removal of 25 Sugar Maples on the property located at 175 Campbell Road. The Board reviewed the Mitigation Plan for removal of 25 trees and agrees that the planting of 50 trees is sufficient mitigation. The Board recommends that the applicant use a different species of tree as replacement to ensure the longevity. Arborvitaes are a favorite food for deer in the fall and winter months.

The Meeting Adjourned at 8:05 pm with a motion from Pat Francois and second from Robert Waterhouse