CHAPLIN INLAND WETLANDS AND WATERCOURSES COMMISSION Meeting Minutes **AMENDED** Regularly Scheduled Monthly Meeting Wednesday, March 24, 2021 @ 7:00PM REMOTE MEETING

Teleconferenced In: Chairman S. Matthies, D. Field, P. Kegler, V. Walton, Staff J. Theroux Absent: D. Cates, P. Deveny, M. Jenkins

S. Matthies called the meeting to order at 7:01 p.m.

Alternates Seated: D. Field for P. Deveny, V. Walton for D. Cates

Review and approval of minutes from Wednesday, February 24, 2021 regularly scheduled meeting: Motion by V. Walton to approve the February 24, 2021 regularly scheduled meeting minutes. Second by P. Kegler. No discussion. All in favor. Motion passed.

Audience of Citizens: None

Additions to agenda: None

Old Business: Michael Guay: 741 Phoenixville Rd. Pond construction. S. Matthies stated that the applicant is still working on what the commission requested from him at the last meeting. They will table this tonight. V. Walton asked that after the applicant has updated the application with new information can there be a site walk. S. Matthies wants to wait until the wetlands are delineated first, then a site walk can take place.

New Business: None

Correspondence: None

Administrative Report: Agent J. Theroux stated applicant M. Guay will be issuing a report from an engineer on the pond.

Commission Discussion: S. Matthies reported that the town attorney, Dennis O'Brien, is working on an ordinance change to combine the Conservation Commission with the Wetlands Commission and also instead of members being elected they will be appointed. D. Fields **D. Field agreed to this and has inquired in the past about joining the Conservation Commission. S. Matthies stated that one value of the Conservation Commission is that the town can apply for grants.

Adjournment: Motion by P. Kegler to adjourn at 7:13 p.m. Second by D. Field. All in favor. Motion passed. Meeting adjourned at 7:13 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by, Suzanne Krodel Recording Secretary