

CONSERVATION COMMISSION
TOWN OF WEST GREENWICH
AGENDA FOR REGULAR MEETING
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2011, 7:00 PM

REQUESTS FOR ADVISORY OPINIONS

MINUTES AND CORRESPONDENCE

NEWS, OBSERVATIONS

- Hurricane/storm Irene: conditions, damages, people power, reflections...
- The huge challenges posed by our current non-clean energy economy...

REPORTS

Town Council, Planning Board, Town Economic Development Comm. updates
Treasurer's Report

General Water, Air, and Resource Monitoring

Big River: Concerned Citizens for Big River meeting on Sept. 11th at fire station;
a possible WGCC or Town Council position paper or statement of concerns for
this management area on behalf of the town and addressed to DEM

WGCC webpages update: features, events, notices, sighting & inventories; and
WG Town bulletin board at the town transfer station: e.g. helpful info on how best
to recycle different items (including electronics, batteries, hazardous fluids, etc.)

Regional/State: RI Association of CC's: comments on ongoing legislation and the
vital cultural changes needed to move into a more sustainable economy...

Other

NEW & CONTINUED BUSINESS

- Some fun stuff: informal summaries and brief discussion of summer book readings on energy, the environment, and a new economics
- Orientation on WGCC guiding proposal review documents for new members
- Potential projects with The Greene School students
- Planning for WGCC information display for the "Celebrate West Greenwich" event on Sept. 25th with the theme of "What Makes a Community Resilient?"

Note: The Town of West Greenwich will provide interpreters for the hearing impaired at any meeting, provided a request is received three (3) business days prior to said meeting. An audiotape copy of the minutes will be provided if requested by a vision-impaired person at least forty-eight (48) hours in advance of the meeting.