

CONSERVATION COMMISSION
TOWN OF WEST GREENWICH
AGENDA FOR REGULAR MEETING
THURSDAY, June 7, 2012, 7:00 pm

REQUESTS FOR ADVISORY OPINIONS

- * A request for zoning change for Plat 24, Lot 19 (4 ½ acres) at 773 Victory Highway from Industrial A to Highway Business (Note: reviewing WGCC criteria and site familiarity recommended)

MINUTES AND CORRESPONDENCE

NEWS AND OBSERVATIONS

- larger weather pattern changes remain a focus of concern
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REPORTS

- Town Council and Boards updates (Econ. Developmt. Comm.?)
- Treasurer's report
- Watershed Watch and other resource monitoring
- Big River: DEM a candidate for administering and managing
- The Greene School: environmentally oriented charter school, brief comments on students' "passages" presentations
- State and Regional: the implications of trumping town zoning and comprehensive plans for growth in the so-called "Dry Lands Bill;" RIACC's regional liaison, Dorion Boardman of S. Kingstown, continuing to assemble issues of regional and state concern
- Social media and website information update
- Other

NEW AND CONTINUED BUSINESS

- The Greene School student project progress on a WGCC sponsored information pamphlet describing the various waste streams in the town, new ways of understanding and addressing "trash," and town transfer station guidelines, fees, and hours of operation
- Recommended creative quotation or article: "Toward a future that makes sense," David Roberts (Grist, May 2012, online)

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