



**Town of
Greenwich
Conservation Commission**

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**NOTICE OF MEETING
March 5, 2020 – 7:00 p.m.**

A meeting of the Greenwich Conservation Commission is scheduled for Thursday, March 5, 2020 at 7:00 in the CONE Room, second floor, Town Hall, Greenwich, CT.

MEETING AGENDA

- 1) Call to Order
- 2) Seating of Alternates
- 3) Review and approve minutes:
 - a) February 6, 2020
- 4) Review of Correspondence
- 5) Chairman's Report
- 6) 2020 Priorities
- 7) Staff Reports
 - a) Conference/Program reminders
 - i) Sustainable CT webinars and events - ongoing <https://sustainablect.org/resources-news-events/upcoming-events/>
 - ii) Spring Environmental Lecture Series every Wednesday night in March: <https://www.greenwichct.gov/DocumentCenter/View/14218/Lecture-Schedule>
 - iii) Fish Ladder volunteer training – March 11, 2020 6:30pm in the Hayton Room
 - iv) Conservation Caboodle – March 20, 2020 12-2pm at Greenwich Audubon
 - v) Northeast Natural History Conference – April 17-19, Stamford, CT https://www.eaglehill.us/NENHC_2020/NENHC2020.shtml
 - vi) Earth Day, April 22, 2020 – 50th Anniversary of Earth Day
 - vii) May 3, 2020 – Conservation Commission hosting lecture at First Sunday Science Series on World Fish Migration Day and Mianus River fish ladder.
 - viii) May 16, 2020 – World Fish Migration Day and Mianus River fish ladder Open House event.

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- 8) Ongoing projects
 - a) DPW/CC pollinator project - Coccoaro
 - b) *Phragmites* removal at Bruce Park – Moch
 - c) Food Scrap Recycling Pilot program – fundraising with “ioby” – Coccoaro
 - d) Earth Week in schools – di Bonaventura/ Coccoaro

- 9) Education/Outreach
 - a) Spring Environmental Lecture Series – Moch
 - b) Conservation Caboodle meeting - Sesto
 - c) Waste Reduction Program - Moch
 - d) Green Schools – Moch/Coccoaro

- 10) New Initiatives
 - a) Greenscapes Committee – Coccoaro
 - b) Artificial turf: Commission Position - Moch
 - c) Sustainable Committee – Sesto
 - d) Pay-As-You-Throw – Sesto
 - e) Pollinator Garden on North street – fundraising with “ioby” - Moch

- 11) Committee and Liaison Reports
 - a) Parks and Rec Board – Baker
 - b) GRAB – Dickinson/Moch
 - c) Harbor Management Commission – Baker

- 12) Old Business
 - a) Sea Level Rise Study – update – Sesto
 - b) Mylar balloon – status
 - c) Energy Commission – update – Sesto

- 13) New Business
 - a) Aquarion Property @ Lake Ave - Sesto

- 14) Adjourn – next meeting is April 2, 2020.



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