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Site Visit Notes Friday, Friday 5, 2021 at 1:30 PM One Alewife Center, Cambridge

The following notes were taken by Jennifer Letourneau for personal use but are being respectfully shared.

Present Commission Members: Jennifer Letourneau (Director), Purvi Patel (Chair), David Lyons (Vice Chair), Erum Sattar, Kathryn Hess

Absent Commission Members: Kaki Martin, Elysse Magnotto-Cleary

This site visit was held for the Conservation Commission to view the site and ask questions in advance of the public meeting:

Public Meeting – Monday, February 8, 2021 at 7:00PM

Register in advance for this webinar:

https://cambridgema.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_Rc0q4UijTpiC5Mru6YNtZw

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

AGENDA

7:00 - Abbreviated Notice of Resource Area Delineation
One Alewife Park

7:15 – Request for Determination of Applicability
One Alewife Park

7:30 - Administrative Topics
Meeting Minutes – January 25, 2021
Conservation Commission Updates

7:35 - Other Business

- Round of introductions.
- Introduction to the wetland resource area delineation by VHB including but not limited to location and methodology.
- Introduction to sampling and exploratory proposed work in the resource areas by Haley & Aldrich.
- Commission members asked clarifying questions on the resource area delineation specific to resource areas identified, methodology and time of year the delineation was completed in the field (June and December 2020).
- We walked to the MBTA Red Line Head House to view the edge of Jerrys Pond.
- VHB continued to present findings specific to Isolated Land Subject to Flooding (ILSF) adjacent to the head house as well as methodology examples for delineated the resource areas associated with Jerry's Pond.
- Haley & Aldrich continued to present access description for sampling Jerry's Pond specific to mitigating land disturbance.
- The Site Walk concluded at 2:20pm.