

**WESTON CONSERVATION COMMISSION SUBCOMMITTEE -
PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES**

March 19, 2021

Approved May 25, 2021

Members Participating: Joseph Berman (Chair), Alison Barlow, Josh Feinblum
Town Staff: Leon Garamond

Pursuant to Governor Baker's March 12, 2020 Order Suspending Certain Provisions of the Open Meeting Law, G.L. c. 30A, §18, and the Governor's March 15, 2020 Order concerning imposition on strict limitations on the number of people that may gather in one place, this Conservation Commission meeting was conducted via remote participation using Zoom.com. The Town provided access to such meeting via a link to call in. No in-person attendance of members of the public was permitted, but every effort was made to ensure that the public could adequately access the proceedings.

A publicly noticed meeting of the Weston Conservation Commission was called to order by Joseph Berman, Chair, on March 19, 2021 at 1:00 p.m.

Mr. Berman made the following motion: that the subcommittee go into executive session for the following purpose: Exemption 8 – to interview applicants for employment by this preliminary screening committee noting that holding these preliminary interviews in open meeting will have a detrimental effect in obtaining qualified applicants. And further, that the subcommittee WILL NOT resume in open session. The motion was seconded by Alison Barlow. Roll call vote: Alison Barlow - Yes, Josh Feinblum – Yes, Joe Berman – Yes. Motion approved 3-0-0.

The Commission entered executive session.

The Commission proceeded to interview three candidates for the position of Conservation Administrator. Each candidate was interviewed for approximately 60 minutes. Following the interviews, the Commission and the Town Manager deliberated. Mr. Berman made a motion to bring forward Jeff Summers and Jordan McCarron to the Conservation Commission for final interviews, while reserving the right to bring Linda Hansen forward. The motion was second by Josh Feinblum. Roll call vote: Alison Barlow - Yes, Josh Feinblum – Yes, Joe Berman – Yes. Motion approved 3-0-0.

The meeting and executive session were adjourned at 4:55 pm.