
It is the mission of the Natural Resources Commission to provide stewardship, education and advocacy of the Town of Wellesley's park, conservation, outdoor recreation and open space resources so that the full value of the Town's natural assets can be passed on to future generations

NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION
December 17, 2013 MEETING AGENDA
7:30 PM, NRC Office, Town Hall

- 7:30 pm Public Voice
- 7:35 pm Review/Approval of NRC FY15 Operating Budget
- 7:55 pm Review/Approval of Morse Pond Management Program FY15 Operating Budget
- 8:10 pm New Business/Continuing Business/Liaison Reports
- * Update on New Trails Committee Charter and Operational Guidelines
 - * Update on Fuller Brook Park Tree Work
 - * Update on Hunnewell Field Track and Field Improvement Project
- 8:25 pm NRC 2013 Year-in-Review – Major Accomplishments and Primary Initiatives
- Fuller Brook Park Listed on National Register of Historic Places
 - Secured Open Space Conservation Restriction Abutting Charles River at 27 Washington Street
 - Acquisition of 3 Seaver Street Open Space Parcels Abutting Fuller Brook Park
 - Tree City USA Award – 30th Year in a Row – longest of any Mass. Municipality
 - Installation of and Educational Event on Rain Garden/Low Impact Development Project at Town Hall Duck Pond
 - On-going Implementation of Morses Pond Comprehensive Management Program (7th year of program)
 - Fuller Brook Park Preservation Project – Final Design and Permitting Effort with FBPCC
 - Fuller Brook Park Tree Removal Project
 - Extensive Public Education & Outreach Efforts – Website, Quarterly E-Newsletters, Green Wellesley Campaign
 - Extensive Inter-Board Collaboration on a wide range of Town Projects including:
 - * High School Building Project and Interim/Permanent Parking Accommodations
 - * Open Space Acquisition Efforts with Board of Selectmen
 - * High School Stadium Task Force Efforts to Improve Hunnewell Track and Field
- 8:40 pm Director's Report
- * Fuller Brook Park Preservation Project Phase 3 Update – 100% Bid Documents
 - * Update on Seaver Street Land Acquisition – Action at Special Town Meeting
 - * Holiday Lighting LED/Energy Conservation Initiative
 - * Update on Hunnewell Field Basketball Courts Restoration Project
 - * Wellesley Green Collaborative Meeting – Jan. 22nd at 9:15 AM, Library
 - * Fuller Brook Park Land Manager Position
 - * Preparation for NRC/Morses Pond Dec. 18th Budget Presentation to Advisory Committee
 - * Wetlands Protection Enforcement Actions - Update
 - * Morses Pond Management Program Implementation Update on Dec. 4th Mgt. Meeting
 - * NRC Winter *Green Wellesley Campaign* E-Newsletter Publication
- 9:00 pm Review/Approval of November 19, 2013 NRC Meeting Minutes

ADJOURNMENT

NRC MEETINGS/EVENTS CALENDAR

- 12/16 Fuller Brook Park Coordinating Committee Meeting, 7:30 AM, Town Hall
- 12/17 NRC Meeting, 7:30 PM, NRC Office, Lower level, Town Hall
- 12/18 NRC/Morses Pond FY15 Budget Presentation to Advisory Committee, 7:30 PM, Town Hall
- 12/19 Wetlands Protection Com. Meeting, 6:30 PM, NRC Office, Lower Level, Town Hall
- 1/8 High School Stadium Task Force Meeting, 7 PM, Faculty Lounge, Wellesley High School
- 1/10 Playing Fields Task Force, 7:45 AM, 1st Floor, Warren Recreation Building
- 1/14-15 Mass. Tree Wardens Annual Conference, Sturbridge, MA
- 1/21 NRC Meeting, 7:30 PM, NRC Office, Lower Level Town Hall
- 1/22 Wellesley Green Collaborative Meeting, 9:15 AM, Wakelin Room, Main Library
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