Earth Removal Committee Minutes of 11/20/19

In attendance:

Chairman J. Garretson, M. Harrison, R. Ieronimo,

J. Nauen, J. Shurtleff & D. Ward

Absent:

none

The meeting was called to order at 7:04 p.m.

Minutes of previous Meetings

Mr. Ward motioned to approve the Minutes of 9/25/19 as written, Mr. Nauen seconded his motion and the remaining Committee Members were in agreement with exception of Mr. Harrison and Mr. Ieronimo who abstained.

Vote: 4 to 2 (abstentions)

Discussion of Potential Edgewood application

Chairman Garretson introduced Mr. Jarrod Rhodes to the Committee who stated that he would like to reduce the impact on Dunham Pond with tailwater recovery by removing approximately 400,000 yards of material on an approximate 15 acres. Chairman Garretson informed that he would like to view the site with the Committee and inquired about a berm and buffer which was verified by Mr. Rhodes. It was noted that an NRCS Plan has been approved. Discussion ensued regarding pumping and disposal of water and that Ms. Brooke has been informed. A site visit was was scheduled for December 7, 2019 at 8 am and a hearing for December 18, 2019 at 7 pm.

Review of Various Earth Removal Projects

Chairman Garretson discussed a noise and dust issue at Mr. Van Johnson's property. He asked Mr. Johnson to install sprinklers to mitigate the dust and the Committee also discussed possible future resolution by having him move dirt piles, install controls, plant bushes and having dirt glue installed. A site visit was scheduled for December 7, 2019.

Chairman Garretson reported that Mr. Dawes contacted him regarding truck traffic though the Historic District. Police Chief Marc Duphily was very responsive and arranged a truck team. Chairman Garretson stated that Mr. Gary Weston's permit is ready to begin.

Review of Earth Removal Account

New Business

None

<u>Adjourn</u>

The next meeting is scheduled for December 18, 2019 at 7 pm in meeting room 4.

Mr. Ward motioned to adjourn, seconded by Mr. Harrison and the remaining Committee members were in agreement. Unanimous. Vote: 6 to 0

The meeting ended at 7:45 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Darlene Whittemore, Earth Removal Secretary