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Planning Department

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AGENDA: The **INLAND WETLANDS COMMISSION**, Town of Hamden, will hold a Regular Electronic Meeting and Public Hearing on Wednesday, September 6, 2023 at 7:00 p.m. on the Town's Zoom teleconferencing platform, and the following items will be reviewed:

There are five ways to participate:

1. **Join using Zoom from your computer, tablet or smartphone:** _

<https://hamden.zoom.us/j/85336146326?pwd=bEFUcEJqQzRKdDVPUnhyckpgeIdHUT09>.

2. **If you already have the Zoom App (or if you go to the Zoom.com website), simply select "join a meeting" and complete the following:**

Webinar ID: 853 3614 6326 Password: 155628

3. **Dial In Using a Mobile Phone by dialing +16465588656,,92735443864#**

4. **Dial In Using Any Type of Phone by dialing +1 646 558 8656**
(If out of state, please contact the Planning Department at 203-287-7070, or email cdeans@hamden.com)

Meeting ID: 853 3614 6326 Password: 155628

To find your local Zoom number: <https://zoom.us/u/asQsBDFKS>

5. **This is a totally remote meeting. Pursuant to Section 149 of Public Act No. 21-2, the Town will provide any member of the public, upon request, with a physical location and any electronic equipment necessary to attend the meeting in real time. Such request must be made in writing and must be made not less than 24 hours prior to the meeting.**

I. Public Comment session

II. *de minimis* Request

- a. Olin Pine Swamp at 475 Putnam Avenue
Environmental investigation and soil sampling activities
Applicant – WSP for the Olin Corporation *R 9-06-2023*

III. Public Hearing and Regular Meeting

- a. IWC # 23-1255
275 Mt. Carmel Avenue
Baseball field improvements, including the installation of EPDM synthetic turf
Applicant – Quinnipiac University *R 9-06-2023*

IV. Other Business

- a. Review July 5th, 2023 Meeting Minutes
- b. Storm water catch-basins
- c. Review site inspection schedule
- d. Maintenance Plan - Town Center Park Rain Garden & Stormwater Pre-treatment System
- e. Election of Officers
- f. Adjournment

PARTICIPATION PROTOCOLS

Governor Lamont, the Mayor of Hamden, and the Connecticut General Assembly have instituted executive orders, legislation and protocols to allow virtual gatherings, yet still provide for public participation in state and local municipal meetings. Until further notice, meetings of the Hamden Inland Wetlands Commission will take place electronically via a program called Zoom. We all wish to keep our friends and neighbors healthy and safe, so we thank you for your patience in dealing with these electronic practices and procedures. Our Town Attorneys have prepared meeting guidelines that adhere to the requirements of the Governor's Executive Orders, the General Assembly's meeting legislation and protocols, and our Hamden Town Charter.

Please use these guidelines to view and participate in Inland Wetlands Commission meetings:

- Members of the public should use the link listed above in order to access the 7:00 P.M., Wednesday, September 6th, 2023 meeting of the Inland Wetlands Commission and each subsequent meeting until further notice;
- Meetings may be accessed through a computer, smart phone, phone, or tablet;
- The meeting on Wednesday, September 6th, 2023 will include a Public Hearing on the Quinnipiac University baseball field application. The public may view and listen to the meeting, and may also speak about this application during the Public Hearing. If you encounter any problems using Zoom, please use the dial-in number;
- If you have any questions about using Zoom and/or how the meeting will be conducted, please phone the Planning Department at 203-287-7073 to speak to Camile Deans, Administrative Assistant to Boards & Commissions.

Electronic Meetings are also subject to the following requirements:

- The public shall have the ability to view or listen to each meeting or proceeding in real time, by telephone, video or other technology;
- Any such meeting or proceeding shall be recorded or transcribed, and such recording or transcript shall be posted on the Town's website within seven (7) days of the meeting or proceeding, and made available within a reasonable time in the Town Clerk's office;
- The required notice and Agenda for each meeting or proceeding is posted on the Town's website, and shall include information about how the meeting will be conducted and how the public can access it;
- Materials relevant to matters on the Agenda, including but not limited to materials related to specific applications, shall be submitted to the agency or to the Planning Department a minimum of twenty four (24) hours prior to the meeting and posted to the Town website for public inspection prior to, during, and after the meeting, and any exhibits to be submitted by members of the public shall, to the extent feasible, also be submitted to the agency or to the Planning Department a minimum of twenty-four (24) hours prior to the meeting and posted to the website for public inspection prior to, during, and after the meeting;
- All speakers taking part in any such meeting or proceeding shall clearly state their name and title, if applicable, before speaking at each proceeding in which they participate.

Submitted by: Camile Deans – Administrative Assistant to Boards & Commissions