

Carlisle Conservation Commission
AGENDA
Thursday, January 22, 2026 – 7:00 p.m.
Zoom Meeting

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Open Meeting - Reading of Remotely Conducted Conservation Commission Meeting *Important: If technical difficulties cause the meeting to be terminated prematurely, all matters that have yet to be heard will be rescheduled; the new date and time will be sent to those applicants and will be posted on the Town website.*

- 7:15 p.m. Public Hearing**
Notice of Intent, DEP File # TBD
Location: 812 Maple Street, Greenough Conservation Land
Applicant: Town of Carlisle
Project Description: Removal of invasive Japanese Knotweed through a combination of livestock grazing, herbicide treatment, and smothering and ecological restoration within Bordering Land Subject to Flooding, Riverfront Area, Bordering Vegetated Wetlands and the 100-foot Buffer Zone.
- 7:30 p.m. Public Meeting**
WPA Violation
Location: 509 South Street
Property Owner: Jessie Pescatore
Description: Unpermitted filing of Bordering Vegetated Wetlands and associated 100-foot Buffer Zone.

Tree Removal:

74 Robbins Drive, Joel Cohen: Removal of two dead medium-sized White Ash trees, two damaged medium-sized Red Maple trees, and one healthy medium-sized Sweet Birch within the 100-foot Buffer Zone to Bordering Vegetated Wetlands.

New and Pending Business:

1. Cranberry Bog Updates:
 - a. Review and approval of Invitation to Bid package for Cranberry Bog Dam #1 Phase 1 Rehabilitation Project (DEP File #125-1147).
 - b. The Town Planner will present an update on the Cranberry Bog House Feasibility Study and procedural next steps.
 - c. SumCo will present GPR findings of Cranberry Bog Dam #1 on 1/29/2026 at 7PM. Meeting will be advertised on Town website and meeting link sent to Commission.
2. Bills:
 - a. W.B. Mason: \$57.74
 - b. W.B. Mason: \$11.09
 - c. Carlisle Rubbish: \$60.00
 - d. Weston & Sampson: \$302
3. Minutes: 11/20/25

4. Appointment of Department of Public Works (DPW) Building Renovation Committee representative.
5. Land Stewardship Committee Updates.
 - a. Joint hybrid meeting of Select Board, Conservation Commission, and Land Stewardship Committee scheduled for January 27, 2026 at 8:00pm. Full member attendance encouraged.
 - b. Discussion of Woodward Agriculture License and associated Land Management Plan
 - c. A request for a quote was submitted to Stamski & McNary for a topographical surveyed plan of Woodward Land, Parcel 10-4-OS.
 - d. Woodward Subcommittee meeting 2/2/2026. LSC meeting: 2/10/2026.
6. Discussion of Revised Wetland Bylaw.
7. Informational: Foss Farm stakeholders have been contacted and have been asked to submit feedback on Zoo New England Grant Proposal by 2/6/26. Review and discussion of feedback scheduled for ConsComm 2/12/26 meeting.
8. Informational: As of January 12, 2026, The Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs has declared a Level 2 Significant Drought in the Northeast Region of the state.
9. Correspondence: Abutter Notification received at Woodward Land from Planning Department approval of an ADU at 106 Maple Street.
10. Correspondence: Conservation office has received a report from a Carlisle resident titled "Should Farmers be Allowed to Use Pesticides on Carlisle's Conservation Lands".
11. Conservation staff update.
12. Review of Conservation Department's Annual Town Report
13. CPC Updates. Meeting held 1/20/2026.

Topics not reasonably anticipated by the Chair 48 hours before the meeting:

Foss Farm Community Garden: Vote to approve of revised 2026 Garden Rules and provide feedback on Foss Farm Community Gardens 2025 Annual Report (continued from 1/8/26 meeting).

Adjournment

Next meeting scheduled for February 12, 2026.