

**Hampton IWWA Minutes**  
**Public Hearing – January 7, 2025**  
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The Public Hearing of the Inland Wetlands and Watercourses Agency was held on Tuesday, January 7, 2025 at the Town Hall.

**Present for the Board:** Stanley Crawford, Vice-Chairman, Martin Mlyniec, Maury Burr, Penny Newbury, David Fowler, Ann Hamlin (7:10).

**Absent:** Heather Bonnekson and Peter Witkowski

**Staff and Others Present:** Dayna McDermott-Arriola, Recording Secretary.

**Call to Order:** Vice-Chairman Crawford called the Public Hearing to order at 7:01 p.m.

**Audience for Citizens:** Concerned with the multiple new houses and their consequent water usage in the recent conservation subdivision, Lois Kelley asked if the Agency deals with water table issues and whether silt-fencing is required during construction. Vice-Chairman Crawford said that the Agency does not involve itself in water table issues, and that silt-fencing is required during construction.

**Present Revisions of the Town of Hampton, Connecticut Inland Wetlands and Watercourses Regulations**

Vice-Chairman Crawford explained that the revisions were mandated by the State, and that in most instances, the name Department of Environmental Protection was changed to the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection. The State also mandated language on imposing possible restrictions regarding the time of year that regulated activity may be conducted, and timelines for permit expirations. The IWWA made minor adjustments to the fee schedule after reviewing the fees of comparable area towns, increasing the application fee for Residential Development to \$150, the Legal Notice Publication Fee to \$175, the fee for Petitions for Amendments to Map and Regulations to \$525, and a fee of \$50 per Inspection.

**Audience for Citizens:** none.

**Motion:** Martin Mlyniec, seconded by Penny Newbury, to close the Public Hearing. Motion carried unanimously.

The Public Hearing closed at 7:14 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Dayna McDermott-Arriola, Recording Clerk

