

Minutes

Farmington Town Board Special Meeting

January 6, 2024

8AM, Intersection of Perkins Road and County Road VV

Meeting was called to order at 8AM, board members Greg Kastenschmidt, Paul Lash and Mike Hesse were present, as well as Larry and Cindy Craig, and Zackary Craig.

The special meeting was requested by the Craigs over concerns of down/dead trees, erosion and their desire to construct a driveway on the east side of the stream at this intersection.

The board observed dead trees and agreed they present a hazard and will arrange for their safe removal.

The area of erosion concern is a depression above the rip rap on the outlet side of the large culvert under Perkins Road. The depression is fully vegetated and no bare soil is exposed. Looking at the rip rap below there are no signs of soil being deposited from said depression so the board agreed there is no active erosion at this time.

As far as a driveway, the space between the stream and the line fence is less than the 75 feet setback for shoreland zoning, so the construction of a driveway would not be permitted. In addition the elevation and slope, and necessary setback from the property line would be extremely challenging.

After these actions and observations, the Craig's asked for the maps we had prepared and they left.

The board members then walked to the neighbor, Mitch Fenske and shared the actions of the board with him.

Paul Lash moved to adjourn, Greg Kastenschmidt seconded the motion, motion passed @ 8:43AM, meeting adjourned.

Respectfully

Mike Hesse

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