



Water Supply District of Acton

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WLMAC MEETING NOTES OF 15 Oct 2015

Documents: Any documents utilized during this meeting are either included in these minutes and/or can be examined at the District offices during regular business hours.

Present: John Cipar, Barry Rosen, Paul Malchodi,

Meeting Note Taker(s): Paul Malchodi

Meeting Chairperson: Barry Rosen

Called To Order: call to order

New Business:

Approval of Minutes: - none available

New Business- Commissioners requested that WLMAC meet for Discussion of Town of Concord, MA “inquiry” to utilize the AWD to supply water to Concord owned land to be used by Concord Public Schools for school bus storage and maintenance and for the potential use of a solar farm and/or wastewater treatment plant.

Discussion: we have been asked to review Concord’s request to provide water to a Concord owned site outside of the AWD boundaries as to how it may meet the 2007 WLMAC recommended justifications for providing water outside district boundaries. Our discussion summarized the potential justifications as – improved inter-municipal relationships and cooperation, enhanced water source capacity and withdrawal capacity, improved ground water protection- potential to limit and reduce total ground water withdrawals. Wide ranging discussion about the positives and potential negatives of Concord’s proposal. Concord has not provided any concrete or assured plans and ideas and we can only assume that all previously discussed ideas for the Concord Grace land usage could happen. Barry presents water usage information from Acton Highway Department and Acton Sewerage treatment plant indicating that the highway dept. uses between 3000 and 5000 cu ft. / year and the sewerage treatment plant has used as much as 25,000 cuft in a year. Concord has made no concrete proposals for providing any of the WLMAC report Justifications so far.

Move to recommend to commissioners that the annual meeting get to vote on Concord’s request but that the WLMAC will not make a recommendation for approval, motion seconded and approved 2-1.

Move to adjourn 3-0



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Move to Adjourn at 8:24 pm 4-0