

Middlesex County Wetlands Board

Minutes

January 9, 2018

Call to Order

The January 9, 2018 meeting of the Middlesex County Wetlands Board was called to order by Marc Longest (Staff Representative), at 9:00 A.M. in the Boardroom of the Historic Courthouse, Saluda, Virginia.

Present: Wesley Dolezal

Monica Sanders

Woodson Armstead

John Boyd

Staff present: Marc Longest, Environmental & Codes Compliance Officer

Absent: David Laughton

Also present was Jay Woodward from the Virginia Marine Resources Commission (VMRC).

Organizational Meeting (Election of Officers)

The motion to nominate Wesley Dolezal for Chairman was made by Mrs. Sanders and seconded by Mr. Boyd. Mr. Longest hearing no further nominations for Chairman closed nominations. Mr. Longest asked for disposition of the Board. Mr. Dolezal was elected Chairman unanimously for the 2018 calendar year.

The motion to nominate Monica Sanders for Vice Chairman was made by Mr. Boyd and seconded by Mr. Armstead. Mr. Longest hearing no further nominations for Vice Chairman closed nominations. Mr. Longest asked for disposition of the Board. Mrs. Sanders was elected Vice Chairman unanimously for the 2018 calendar year.

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The Board considered the minutes of the December 12, 2017 meeting. The motion to approve the minutes was made by Mr. Armstead and seconded by Mrs. Sanders and carried unanimously.

Public Hearings

- A. **Wetlands Application # 2017-1974** submitted by Bayshore Design LLC on behalf of J. Michael Quade. This request is to construct a 158' rip rap sill with 50 Cu Yards of beach nourishment and 1,300 SF of wetlands vegetation plantings (spartina patens) within the Wetlands Board's jurisdiction. The proposed project is located on Whiting Creek, at Tax Map Parcel # 28-134.

Craig Palubinski was present to represent the application and to explain the proposed project.

Chairman Dolezal opened the hearing for comments from the public.

There being no additional comments, the public portion of the hearing was closed.

Chairman Dolezal began a brief period of questions and comments between the Board and the agent.

Jay Woodward, VMRC, no permit would be required from their office.

There being no further questions or comments from the Board, Chairman Dolezal asked for disposition of the application.

The motion to approve the application as submitted was made by Mrs. Sanders and seconded by Mr. Boyd and carried unanimously with an 18 Month time limit.

- B. **Wetlands Application # 2017-2072** submitted by K&B Marine Construction on behalf of Lawrence Mauck. This request is to construct two 48' low-profile groins with 15' spur on each within the Wetlands Board's jurisdiction. The proposed project is located on Rappahannock River, at Tax Map Parcel # 9B(1)A12.

Chris Self was present to represent the application and to explain the proposed project.

Chairman Dolezal opened the hearing for comments from the public.

There being no additional comments, the public portion of the hearing was closed.

Chairman Dolezal began a brief period of questions and comments between the Board and the agent.

The Board discussed if this was one parcel or two. Mr. Self stated it was just one whole parcel. Mrs. Sanders questions if they were using wetsuits. Mr. Self stated that they have waders. Mr. Self expressed the importance of a lower spur than a higher spur and that this was similar to the other projects in this area that have been approved by the board. VMRC permit needed, general permit 2 per Mr. Woodward.

There being no further questions or comments from the Board, Chairman Dolezal asked for disposition of the application.

The motion to approve the application as submitted was made by Mr. Boyd and seconded by Mr. Armstead and carried unanimously with an 18 Month time limit.

Old Business: None

New Business: None

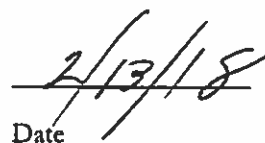
Adjournment:

Mr. Armstead made a motion to adjourn the meeting; it was seconded by Mrs. Sanders and carried unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,



Wetlands Board Chair



Date