

MINUTES

RTM Environment Committee meeting February 27, 2012 at 7:30 pm

Present: Committee members: Allen Bomes, Jonathan Cunitz, Paul Liebowitz, Cathy Talmadge, Wendy Batteau, Chris Urist, Diane Cady

Also present: Director of Conservation Department: Alicia Mozian
Don Bergmann, member RTM

Committee members absent: John Suggs, Matthew Mandell

Alicia Mozian presented Conservation Department projected budget proposed for 2013 \$344,278.00 with salaries

- The Committee members present voted unanimously to approve and to support the budget requests.

Suggested for further exploration and possible action:

- * In Westport Code: Article III Water Use for Tree Spraying
- * From RTM Long Range Planning: water quality, dredging of Saugatuck River and harbor, an active Tree Warden
 - Pesticides lawn care and wells/effect on health, i.e., Longshore
 - Y request for sewer

The meeting was adjourned at 9:45 pm.

NEXT MEETING: March 26, 2012

Respectfully submitted: Diane Cady, chair