

**CHESHIRE ENVIRONMENT COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING
WEDNESDAY, SEPTMBER 12, 2018
TOWN HALL – ROOM 210 AT 7:00 P.M.**

Members present were Bill Sherman, Bob DeVlyder, Jodee Heritage and Corrine Abbott.

Member not present: Matt Abdifar. Carrie Collins-White resigned from the Commission.

Staff: Suzanne Simone.

I. Call to Order

Chairman Sherman called the meeting to order at 7:18 pm.

II. Roll Call

Ms. Heritage called the roll.

Members present were Bill Sherman, Jodee Heritage, Bob DeVlyder, and Corrine Abbott.

Matt Abdifar was not present.

III. Determination of Quorum

There were enough members present for a quorum.

IV. Pledge of Allegiance

The pledge of allegiance was recited.

**V. Acceptance of Minutes – Special Meeting – January 17, 2018
Regular Meeting – August 8, 2018**

The approval of the minutes from the special meeting of January 17, 2018 and regular meeting of August 8, 2018 were deferred to the next meeting.

VI. Communications

Ms. Simone handed out copies of two articles printed in the *Cheshire Herald* regarding Casertano and DeDominicis properties and the spring/summer edition of the *Habitat* newsletter.

Commission members agreed the *Cheshire Herald* articles were well written; and showcased the town's open space properties.

Chairman Sherman said he'd write a letter on behalf of the Commission thanking the *Cheshire Herald* editor John Rook for writing the articles.

VII. Calendar

1. Fall Festival – Saturday, September 15, 2018

VIII. Unfinished Business

There were no unfinished business items.

IX. New Business

1. Fall Festival
 - a. Commission Attendance
 - b. Handouts

Chairman Sherman reviewed the plan for the Commission's participation at the Fall Festival and noted a few members have agreed to help man the booth (shared with the Energy Commission).

Ms. Simone provided the open space maps, the canvas bags, book marks, display sign, etc. for the festival.

There was general discussion about festival details.

X. Adjournment

Chairman Sherman called for a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:34 pm.

Moved by Ms. Heritage. Seconded by Ms. Abbott. Motion approved unanimously by Commission members present.

Respectfully submitted by:

Carla Mills
Recording Secretary