

Conservation Advisory Council

Town of Taghkanic, New York

Meeting of January 29, 2020

The meeting was attended by Tony LaSalvia, Anna Kadish, Larry Kadish, Moisha Blechman, Joyce Thompson, Valerie Hoffman, Zita Kobos, and as a perspective new member Timothy Kennelty.

We discussed the upcoming meeting with Tracey Testo of Cornell Cooperative Extension and possibly Mike Jastremski and Lindsay Larson of The Housatonic Valley Association with the Town of Taghkanic on Tuesday February 25 at 1:30. Members of the CAC will also be in attendance.

We then looked into the Ridgeline Protection plan that was proposed at the Zoning Commission. This will be written to meet the needs of the Town of Taghkanic by the commission's advisor. The CAC will look at this proposal at that time and give its recommendations.

The CAC is looking forward to an active roll in reviewing the Zoning ordinance as proposed by the Zoning Commission. As a part of this we discussed any language in the Zoning and Planning regulations that mention the roll of the CAC in the processes of these Boards.

There will be a CAC Roundtable hosted by the Columbia Land Conservancy on June 17, 2020.

Tony LaSalvia

Chair, Conservation Advisory Council