

**CITY OF RYE
MEMORANDUM**

TO: Honorable Mayor and Council Members
FROM: Scott D. Pickup, City Manager
SUBJECT: Enclosures - Council Packet
DATE: September 17, 2010

Enclosed with this memorandum are the following items:

- 9-9 Notice of a meeting of the Rye Town Park Commission to be held on Tuesday, September 21, 2010 at 6:00 p.m.
- 9-10 Notice regarding a conference entitled *Coyotes in Suburbia* being held at Pace University on Friday, September 24, 2010 from 8:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
- 9-11 Litigation Update from the Corporation Counsel dated September 17, 2010.
- 9-12 Notice regarding an event sponsored by the Federated Conservationists of Westchester County, Inc. entitled *End of the Petroleum Era: Renovating Existing Buildings* being held at the Irvington Village Public Library on Friday, September 24, 2010 from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 a.m.
- 9-13 Meeting notice for the week of September 20, 2010 is available on the City website www.ryeny.gov under Calendar.

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*Rye Town Park
95 Dearborn Ave.
Rye, NY 10580
914 967-0965*

RYE TOWN PARK COMMISSION

MEETING NOTICE

Commission Members

Joseph Carvin-President
Douglas French, Mayor-City of Rye
Dennis Pilla, Mayor-Village of Port Chester
Joan Feinstein, Mayor-Village of Rye Brook
Benedict Salanitro, Commissioner
Joseph Sack, Commissioner

DATE: Tuesday, 9/21/2010

TIME: 6:00PM

**PLACE: Town Hall - 3rd Floor Courtroom
10 Pearl Street
Port Chester, NY 10573**

Agenda:

1. Roll Call
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Approval of Minutes, 7/20/2010, and 8/17/2010 (informal meeting)
4. Grant Information
5. Park Operations Report – Gioffre
6. Financial Report
7. Comments from the Public
8. Old Business
9. New Business

Coyotes in Suburbia

Friday, September 24, 2010, 8 a.m. -10:30 am

(8 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. registration)

Pace University, Pleasantville Campus
Student Center



Conservation Café

Property managers, planners, municipal officials, naturalists, environmentalists, students and the public are invited to discover the current research about these animals' movements and behavior.

"Mapping Human-Coyote Interaction in Westchester: How backyard coyote observations can lead to a more peaceful coexistence"
- Mark Weckel, Director of Research and Land Management, Mianus River Gorge Preserve

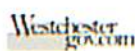
"New York Suburban Coyote Study: What we've Learned" - Dan Bogan, field research leader of the NY Urban/Suburban Coyote Study, a NYSDEC-funded project carried out in four Westchester municipalities.

Moderator is Jeff Main of the Westchester County Parks conservation division.

A question-and-answer session will be included. Carpooling is encouraged. Coffee will be served. Please bring your own mug.

Conversations on Conservation (CoC) and Conservation Café programs provide a forum for dialogue about current environmental issues and challenges.

Admission is free; reservations are requested; please call (914) 864-7326 by Wednesday, September 22 to reserve a seat and for directions.



**CITY OF RYE
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TO: Honorable Mayor and Rye City Council
FROM: Kristen K. Wilson, Interim Corporation Counsel
SUBJECT: Litigation Update
DATE: September 17, 2010

LITIGATION

OSBORN v. CITY OF RYE

No new developments.

BEAVER SWAMP BROOK – (DEC Administrative proceeding)

The ALJ has scheduled a conference call for all "Parties" to participate in on September 27, 2010 at 3 PM to discuss Harrison's Amended Wetland Application.

151 PURCHASE STREET ASSOCIATES V. CITY OF RYE, ET AL.

This week the City has received from the Court the stamped, So Ordered copy of the Settlement Agreement in this matter, which was approved by the City Council in June.

SCHUBERT V. CITY OF RYE, ET AL.

No new developments.

R.B. CONWAY V. CITY OF RYE

No new developments.

DELLI PAOLI V. ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

No new developments.

SHEW v. CITY OF RYE

No new developments.

MOLLOY v. PLANNING COMMISSION

No new developments.

TOWNSEND v. BOARD OF APPEALS

No new developments.

PANETTA v. PLANNING COMMISSION

No new developments.

HEAL the HARBOR v. CITY OF RYE

The City was served with reply papers in this matter.

SCHUBERT v. PLANNING COMMISSION, et al
No new developments.

CITY COURT
Routine calendar with no unusual dispositions.

Respectfully submitted,

Kristen K. Wilson

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FCWC

Federated Conservationists
of Westchester County, Inc.

End of the Petroleum Era: Renovating Existing Buildings

with Stephen Tilly, Sustainability Architect
Friday, September 24th from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm



What: Join us for an evening of organic brain food with a talk by Stephen Tilly, sustainability architect and designer of the innovative reuse of the Burnham Building in Irvington, which now houses the village Library and 22 units of Affordable Housing. A discussion of why the greenest building is one you don't have to build will follow.

Delicious local and organic culinary treats provided by
Chutney Masala.

Who Should Attend: A must for city planners, those who want to make their communities more sustainable and all interested in the relationship between existing buildings and the climate crisis.

Location: The Irvington Village Public Library Meeting Room -
across from the Irvington train Station.

Tickets: \$25 per person. All proceeds to benefit FCWC and help support our work promoting a Sustainable Westchester. Please register by calling FCWC at (914) 422-4053.

Register online: www.FCWC.org/events

Co-Sponsored by: Groundwork Hudson Valley



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