



# Village of Hanover Park

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## VILLAGE OF HANOVER PARK

### ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITTEE/COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING

**Municipal Building: 2121 Lake Street  
Hanover Park, IL 60133**

**Tuesday, March 26, 2013  
7:00 p.m.**

### MINUTES

#### 1. CALL TO ORDER - ROLL CALL

Chair Kevin MacGregor called meeting to order at 7:05 p.m.

PRESENT: Committee Rich Galer, Russ Hart, Shari MacGregor, Kevin  
Members: MacGregor, Robert Wachsmuth, Michael Wang  
(arrived at 7:08)

ABSENT: Committee  
Members: Dan Herrmann, Tom Kehoe, Billie Wang

ALSO PRESENT: Howard Killian, Director of Engineering/Public Works

#### 2. ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA

Motion by Kevin MacGregor to accept agenda.

Second by Russ Hart.

Voice Vote:  
All Ayes.  
Motion Carried.

#### 3. PRESENTATIONS/ REPORTS:

None

**4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

Motion by Kevin MacGregor to accept Minutes of January 22, 2013

Second by Russ Hart.

Motion by Rich Galer to accept the Minutes of February 26, 2013 (No Quorum).

Second by Robert Wachsmuth.

Voice Vote:

All Ayes.

Motion Carried.

**5. ACTION ITEMS:**

None

**6. TOWNHALL SESSION:**

None

**7. OLD BUSINESS (NON-ACTION ITEMS):**

7- a. 2013 Schedule of Events

7-a.1 Spring Event/Earth Day Event with Carol Stream.

Carol Stream event. Will we share a tent with two other groups? Bring the Environmental Committee. Beekeeping, light pollution, ongoing electronic recycling. Howard to look up little ¼ sheet flyers and change dates. Hours are 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.; 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. for electronics. Bob Wachsmuth may be able to help. Russ will try to stop by. Russ to bring copies to Public Works to make copies.

Schaumburg will have their recycling event from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Rich will try to assist and Bob may also help.

7-a.2 Stenciling

Stenciling scheduled for June 22<sup>nd</sup>. Staff to notify association in May. Howard to get the list of streets to the committee.

7-a.3 River Sweep

Billie will organize the volunteers. Walgreens will try to get other stores to help. Lions will help with Cub Scouts. Conservation Foundation asked if we would be willing to undertake the section in Hawk Hollow.

7-a.4 Recycling Event

Set up for September 28<sup>th</sup> at the train station lot. Bob Waschmuth checked with Menards for sign. The Committee would like a prescription drop-off. Bob Waschmuth will check in to that. Scarce is doing tennis shoes. Do we want to do this? Should we look into QR codes?

7-b Bees

The snow fence has been removed at the Apiary. Bees planting list did not show any good plants. Look into overseeding with clover at STP. At least one hive is dead. Other hive is still alive, but getting weaker. Just buy two new bee colonies. Open house in the middle of July?

7-b.1 Spring plantings

Russ asked when would we plant? Maybe in April.

7-c. Light Pollution

No update at this time. HiLighter article on light pollution for next issue. Better links for article. Kevin has found better links.

7-d. Rain Garden

Howard to meet with Rich to plan garden.

**8. NEW BUSINESS (NON-ACTION ITEMS):**

8-a. Member Reports

8-a.1 Rich Galer  
No Report

8-a.2 Russ Hart  
Nothing new but will send around YouTube video techniques of gathering water. Poster contest to have a non-word sign of a new sensitive site, water, etc.

8-a.3 Tom Kehoe  
Absent

8-a.4 Shari MacGregor  
Discussed the microphone in the hives. We should look into posting on the website. Shari is looking at YouTube. We need to start thinking about publishing the events using 2 to 3 minutes.

8-a.5 Kevin MacGregor  
Heifer International is sponsoring bee hives as a way to help out. Someone will need to look up regions served. Bob will look up. New information on how clean should water be.

8-a.6 Robert Wachsmuth  
Conservation Foundation tour. Do we want to look at trip there?

8-a.7 Michael Wang  
Started recycling at Hines VA Hospital for cans and bottles. College of Dupage is planning a facility for public safety.

8-a.8 Billie Wang  
Absent

8-a.9 Dan Herrmann  
Absent

Trustee Liaison Update  
Absent

8-b. Staff Update

8-c.1 Schaumburg Recycling Event  
See 7-a.1 discussion. Being held on April 20<sup>th</sup>, 10 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

8-c.

8-c.2 First Eagle Bank 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Community Shred Event  
To be held on April 27<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Village is looking into buying a bulb eater for recycling.

**9. ADJOURNMENT:**

Motion by Shari MacGregor to adjourn at 8:27 p.m.

Second by Robert Wachsmuth.

Voice Vote:  
All Ayes.  
Motion Carried.