

**VILLAGE OF HANOVER PARK  
ENVIRONMENTAL & UTILITY COMMITTEE**

**MINUTES – June 23, 2009**

**I. Call To Order**

Robert Wachsmuth called the meeting to order at 7:08 PM.

**II. Roll Call**

Members Present: Cerena Fischer, Tom Kehoe, Robert Wachsmuth

Staff Present: Rod Craig and Howard Killian

Also Present: Philip McBride, Russ Hart, Kenneth Gresemer

Absent: Rich Galer, Shari MacGregor, Kevin MacGregor, Michael Wang, Billie Wang.

**III. Approval of Minutes**

Motion by Cerena Fischer and seconded by Glenn Daily to Approve the Minutes of May 26, 2009.

**IV. Old Business**

September 19 – Recycling Event

Recycling Event – not a household hazardous waste drop off.

Kay from SCARCE:

She presented several flyers for:

- Medicine drop off locations
- Paint recycling
- Upcoming events
- A book on summer training opportunities
- A book on green firms.

Food composting – new law passed by State – awaiting Governor's signature.

DuPage water commission working on a community flag for water conservation.

Recycling Events:

- Map of site was shown
- Event is scheduled for September 19<sup>th</sup>, 8:00 a.m. to noon.

We will be looking for Village Board approval at July 16<sup>th</sup> meeting.

(Site review)

- protect storm drains rear oil collector
- Shedder/oil up front
- Simms E-waste – need volunteers.
- Glasses/hearing aids/keys – Lions Club
- Tri-City Fire – fire extinguishers
- Boy Scouts – flags?
- Battery – own
- Scrap metal – own
- Bikes – own
- Clothes – Helping the Heroes
- CFL's – Village

Give always – free CFL/Bag?

Advantage on water bills/web page/hi-lighter/high school environmental committees/National Honor Society volunteers.

- Tables for smaller uses
- ½ sheet with info to hand out
- Churches – other needs?

October 10<sup>th</sup> River Sweep. Okay to hold on this date.

Discussion on more non-voting members.

## **V. New Business**

Is it possible for committee to recommend “green” policies for Village to follow. Yes, but need to develop policies and present to Village Board for approval.

Garbage contract discussion. This will be before the committee late this summer or early fall.

Clean Air Counts – Village now a member. Items we do to achieve a higher status.

Discussion was held regarding the solicitation of donations for events. Howard told committee we were not allowed to ask for donations due to Village policy. Rod to look in to.

**VI. Next Meeting Date**

The next meeting will be held on July 28, 2009 in room 101 at 7:00.

**VII. Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned at 8:32 PM.

Minutes Approved By:

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Howard A. Killian

Date: \_\_\_\_\_