VILLAGE OF HANOVER PARK
ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITTEE

MINUTES – September 28, 2010

I. Call To Order

Robert Waschmuth called the Meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

II. Roll Call

Members Present: Kevin MacGregor, Shari MacGregor, Bob Waschmuth

Staff Present: Howard Killian, Public Works Director, Trustee Bill Cannon

Also Present: Russ Hart

III. Approval of Minutes

No quorum.

IV. Old Business

Governor's Hometown Award – October 12th in Springfield. Raffle winner is Mike Wang to go to Springfield. Bob went over details. October 21st Board presentation. Additional signs if digital copy. Transportation to be discussed next week.

Recycling Event:
Trustee Cannon – next year.
How do we get word out? Craigslist was a problem. Comparison of 2009 to 2010 was provided.

Overall opinions –
Russ – electronics worked better - loading a plus.
Kevin – Keeping up was easy – didn't want to stop for bags.
Paint information handouts were good.
CFL's – Long lasting question – Life.

Metal/Earlier set up/Newspaper ad should state open to all
Shredding Company was iffy.
Spanish speaking flyer?

More exposure to Connect and to chamber.

PTA.
Schaumburg/Hoffman Estates Committees.

Multiple Flyers (Site, info)
Schools – flyers, curriculum nights.
Churches/Scouting
HOA's

Incentives?
Contact people – get the word out! To resident's twice a year.

Signs at Maxwell Street/Banners.

Recognition of Volunteers - October 21st, meeting along with sign.

V. **New Business**

Police building green items. Howard to provide list to committee.

Recycling bin discussion. Less stuff blowing down the street. Newspaper being tossed on driveway issue was raised. Community Development staff looking in to.

Cancel November & December meetings?

Ordinance to Board extending members; next meetings for ID.

Tree for holiday lighting? No.

Rain garden grant? Bloomingdale Library rain barrel set up.

Bees at Bayside –
Kevin presented topic.
Cook/Dupage bee keepers.
Limited resources.
Board issues.
Public relations.
Other benefits.

Bill Cannon – Individual SSA's. Discussion/update.

Russ – Bee questions – other types.
Slow news day; dirt/chickens. Video's.
Chicken's allowed in yards; Evanston.

VI. Next Meeting Date

The next meeting will be held on October 26, 2010 in room 214 at 7:00.

VII. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 8:23 p.m.

Minutes Approved By:

Howard A. Kilian

Date: Oct 26, 2010