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VILLAGE OF HANOVER PARK

ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITTEE/COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING

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

**Tuesday, September 25, 2012
7:00 p.m.**

MINUTES

1. CALL TO ORDER - ROLL CALL

Chair Robert Wachsmuth called meeting to order at 7:04 p.m.

PRESENT: Committee Rich Galer, Russ Hart, Shari MacGregor, Kevin
Members: MacGregor
ABSENT: Committee Dan Herrmann, Tom Kehoe, Billie Wang, Michael
Members: Wang
ALSO PRESENT: Howard Killian, Director of Public Works & Engineering, Jenni
Konstanzer, Trustee (arrived at 7:13 p.m.)

2. ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA

Motion by Rich Galer to accept agenda.

Second by Russ Hart.

Voice Vote:
All Ayes.
Motion Carried.

3. PRESENTATIONS/ REPORTS:

None Scheduled

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Motion by Russ Hart to approve minutes of August 28, 2012 with a change:

7-a.1 Recycling Event.

Russ to check in volunteers then move to electronics.

Second by Rich Galer.

Voice Vote:

All Ayes.

Motion Carried.

5. ACTION ITEMS:

None Scheduled

6. TOWNHALL SESSION:

None

7. OLD BUSINESS (NON-ACTION ITEMS):

7- a. 2012 Scheduled of Events

7-a.1 Recycling Event

Bob Wachsmuth thanked all who assisted. Bob went over items collected and the following:

- Shredder was late.
- Prescription drug collection was subpar.
- Need to confirm the number of volunteers – 28? Over 30 with kids.
- September 28th next year.
- People getting out of cars; cross-over of traffic was a problem.
- Bottle neck at paper shredding; need more containers to dump into.
- 137 bags of clothing; 16 boxes of clothing, some medical equipment.
- We will be moving the event to a different date and move to the Metra Lot.
- Volunteer shifts are needed.
- Prosthetics a possibility next year.
- Contact Bartlett High School and other students who need service hours.
- Tents for next year?
- Place ad in the Examiner; Spanish flyer?

- 7-b. Spring Event
Schaumburg, Hoffman Estates, Maxwell Street or apiary open house. If we set a date, we will have to plan on holding it outside if it's sunny and inside if it rains. Carol Stream, can we tag along with that?
- 7-c. Bees
75 to 100 people attended the event, mostly from Hanover Park. It was good that it was in the Hi-Lighter. Should we expand to 2 hives per person? There were probably a dozen who were very interested in having their own hives. People were asking about classes. Kevin will host a class on natural bee keeping. There were a lot of questions on having in own yards. Village is looking to change flower types and more trees on site.
- 7-d. Light Pollution
Shari recapped efforts to date. Working on bullet points for future HiLighter. Looking for historical photos of night sky.
- 7-e. Hi-Lighter
We will recap the recycling event, holiday reminders, beekeeping class apiary open house. Environmental award and normal basis recycling.

8. NEW BUSINESS (NON-ACTION ITEMS):

- 8-a. Member Reports
 - 8-a.1 Rich Galer
No report
 - 8-a.2 Russ Hart
No report
 - 8-a.3 Tom Kehoe
Absent
 - 8-a.4 Shari MacGregor
No report
 - 8-a.5 Kevin MacGregor
No report
 - 8-a.6 Robert Wachsmuth
Energy efficiency programs. Bob announced he will not be the chair after January 1st. We are looking for a replacement.
 - 8-a.7 Michael Wang
Absent

8-a.8 Billie Wang
Absent

8-a.9 Dan Herrmann
Absent

9. ADJOURNMENT:

Motion by Kevin MacGregor to adjourn at 8:23 p.m.

Second by Shari MacGregor.

Voice Vote:
All Ayes.
Motion Carried.