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ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITTEE/COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING

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

Tuesday, February 22, 2011
7:00 p.m.

MINUTES

1. CALL TO ORDER - ROLL CALL

Chair Robert Wachmuth called meeting to order at 7:05 p.m.

PRESENT:	Committee Members:	Rich Galer, Russ Hart, Shari MacGregor, Kevin MacGregor, Robert Wachsmuth, Cerena Fischer (arrived at 7:10)
ABSENT:	Committee Members:	Tom Kehoe, Billie Wang, Michael Wang
ALSO PRESENT:	Trustee Bill Cannon and Howard Killian, Public Works Director	

2. ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA

Motion by Shari MacGregor to accept Agenda.

Seconded by Kevin MacGregor.

Voice Vote:
All Ayes.
Motion Carried

3. PRESENTATIONS/ REPORTS:

None

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Motion by Russ Hart to Approve the Minutes of January 25, 2010.

Seconded by Rich Galor.

Voice Vote:
All Ayes.
Motion Carried.

5. ACTION ITEMS:

None

6. TOWNHALL SESSION:

Dan Herman – Hanover Park Lion's Club Association. Would like to do something green (permanent activity) year around.

7. OLD BUSINESS (NON-ACTION ITEMS):

7- a. Bee Hives

Risk assessment/questions before-hand. Have a Cook/DuPage Beekeeper representative at next meeting to discuss possible questions or issues. Each committee member should forward questions to Kevin. Howard to forward staff concerns to Kevin.

7-b. Donations to Charity

Shari MacGregor possible tie in with Lions Club. Raise money for charity for an environmental cause, example $300 send a water filtration system.

Valparaiso – do they have environmental issues/surrounding issues? Engineers without borders /water for people/company in town.

7-c 2011 Schedule of Events

7-c.1 River Sweep – May 21st – which stretch? Anne Fox. Same stretch – more people. Two groups; one north and one south. Call Sue George and put in May 1st Hi-Lighter. Volunteers – we need to contact them; Howard to provide to Russ Hart.

7-c.2 Storm Drain Stenciling – April 30th. Rich – how many people. Better paint. (web page) check channel 17 for proper dates on slide; Rain date is May 7th. Send out to associations soon! Contact Menards for yellow traffic paint.

7-c.3 Recycling Event – September 17th. No paint recycling. Books? Christmas Lights? SCARCE – School age children/half price books.

Books at train station; paperback exchange. Updated version of last year's flyer to Sherry.

7-c.4 Rain Garden
Work with school on plant selection.

8. NEW BUSINESS (NON-ACTION ITEMS):

8-a. Member Reports

8-a.1 Cerena Fischer
None

8-a.2 Rich Galer
Banners to make bags – give contact name to Howard. MWRD land status – see land stay open.

8-a.3 Russ Hart
Question – composting of food scraps – finished compost? Availability.

8-a.4 Tom Kehoe
None

8-a.5 Shari MacGregor
Blue sky idea. Donate to resale shop. Tossing out. Highlighter list.

8-a.6 Kevin MacGregor
None

8-a.7 Robert Wachsmuth
DuPage Forest Preserve District – possibly redirecting funds for bike path bridge.

8-a.8 Michael Wang
None

8-a.9 Billie Wang
None

9. ADJOURNMENT:

Motion by Rich Galer to adjourn at 8:28 p.m.

Seconded by Cerena Fischer.

Voice Vote:
All Ayes.
Motion Carried.