



Nippersink Creek Watershed Planning Committee

c/o McHenry County Soil and Water Conservation District
1648 S. Eastwood Dr., Woodstock, IL 60098
815-338-0099

Minutes

Meeting of the Nippersink Creek Watershed Planning Committee_of June 1, 2006, at 7:00 pm, held at the Alden Township Office, 8515 Alden Road, Harvard, IL.

Members Present: Dan Wilson, Randy Stowe, Tom Cooper Orrin Bangert, & Dick Hilton

- I Approval of Minutes: On a motion by Tom Cooper and second by Dan Wilson, the Committee approved the May 4, 2006 minutes.**
- II Treasurers Report – No Report**
- III Public Comments - None**
- IV Unfinished Business:**
 - A. Status & Review of update to plan.
 1. Review of Sub-watershed maps (Rob Linke) **(a) Rob reviews the various layers of data available on sub watershed maps and briefly reviewed designation of potential areas of concern and how they were identified. The committee agreed to meet with Rob at the SWCD offices to go over the sub watershed maps in greater detail and further identify areas of concern as a lead in to the development of implementation plans to address natural resource issues.**
 2. Outreach-**No Report – will be an item on the meeting mentioned in 1 above.**
 3. Plan update- **Rob pointed out that NOT everything has been received from McHenry County Planning & Development, Hilton will direct an email to Sue Ehardt.**
Web site review-**Sub watershed reports will be posted on the site soon.**
 - B. NIPC Stream Inventory (Tim Loftus) **No Report**
 - C. Signage – “Entering Watershed” (Hilton)
 1. IDOT Contact, (State Highway (“Watershed sign”) Hilton **No Report**
 2. County contact, (Nippersink ID sign) **No Report.**
 - D. Pappas property update **The Village of Greenwood Planning & Zoning Commission has approved the Pappas Preliminary Plat and passed it on to the V of G Board for approval. No additional information available. No activity on property.**
 - E. Wonder Lake NPDES Permit application update (Hilton) **Revisions to the application have been made to increase the capacity and it is currently under review by the IL EPA.**
 - F. Dredging Wonder Lake **Hilton announced that the MPOA’s Board of Directors has approved a contract to update the organizations 1996 dredging Feasibility Study in anticipation of a dredging program to begin in 2008. The consultants Scope of Work includes preliminary design of a proposed sediment storage area and an inventory of potential shoreline improvements.**
- V New Business**
 - A. McHenry County Groundwater Workshop **No Report**
 - B. Municipal Outreach schedule **See IV, 2 in Unfinished Business**
 - C. Thatcher Meadows – Wonder Lake. **Hilton reported that a developing plan for development of 1450 acres of land located between Wonder Lake and McHenry is currently under review and refinement to address environmental issues based on input from various USACOE, county, and local consultant input**
 - D. Shoreline Protection/restoration **See item F in unfinished Business**
- VI Next Meeting – July 6, 2006 at the Alden Township Hall at 7:00 p.m.**
- VII Adjournment - On a motion by Tom Cooper and second by Orrin Bangert, the meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m.**