



Nippersink Creek Watershed Planning Committee

c/o McHenry County Soil and Water Conservation District
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Minutes

Meeting of the Nippersink Creek Watershed Planning Committee_of August 3, 2006, at 7:00 pm, held at the Alden Township Office, 8515 Alden Road, Harvard, IL.

Members Present: Dan Wilson, Randy Stowe, Orrin Bangert, Rob Linke & Dick Hilton

- I Approval of Minutes: On a motion by Orrin Bangert and second by Dan Wilson, the Committee approved the June 1, 2006 and June 7, 2006 minutes & notes.**
- 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 reported that he was able to obtain information on the Wisconsin portion of the watershed and will incorporate into a more sophisticated system – “Generalized Watershed Loading Function Model which will enable us to take existing conditions and project them into the future.**
 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. Rob will contact Sue Ehardt at McHenry Co. OP & D direct for the promised info. Rob requested that another daytime planning session be arranged at SWCD the week of 8/14 or 8/21 to further develop the subwatershed implementation plans.**
 - B. Signage – “Entering Watershed” (Hilton)
 1. IDOT Contact, (State Highway (“Watershed sign”) Hilton **No Report**
 2. County contact, (Nippersink ID sign) **waiting for additional information.**
 - C. Pappas property update **No activity on property.**
 - D. Wonder Lake NPDES Permit application update (Hilton) **NPDES permit has been issued for 2 mgd treatment plant to serve new development and existing population.**
 - E. Dredging Wonder Lake **Hilton announced that shoreline inventory has been completed and map of various methods used to prevent and retard erosion is under construction.**
- V New Business**
 - A. Municipal Outreach schedule **See IV, 2 in Unfinished Business**
 - B. Thatcher Meadows – Wonder Lake. **Hilton reported that the concept plan for development of 1450 acres of land located between Wonder Lake and McHenry is under continuing review and refinement to address environmental issues based on input from various USACOE, county, and local consultant input. The Village of Wonder Lake is also updating their zoning ordinance, incorporating environmental issues and planned unit development concepts into the document.**
- VI Next Meeting – September 7 at the Alden Township Hall at 7:00 p.m.**
- VII Adjournment - On a motion by Dan Wilson and second by Orrin Bangert, the meeting was adjourned at 8:20 p.m.**