

Town of Greenfield Environmental Commission

Minutes approved 15 September

Meeting 16 June 2011 at Greenfield Town Hall was called to order at 7:00 PM.

Attending: Jan Hill, Co-Chair; Vincent Walsh; LaVern Utter; Pam Young, Acting Secretary; and Adopt-A-Roadside Coordinator, Theresa Ellsworth.

No minutes from previous meeting available for review.

Contact Reports

Town Board (Jan) Reported from meeting minutes. No environmental issues.

ZBA (Jan) Reported from meeting minutes. No environmental issues.

PB (Jan) Reviewed application from Glen Mitchell for Site Plan Review for 4 ball fields on 17.3 acres at 100 Porter Corners Road. There are wetlands on the property. DEC has visited the site. Will need a survey. Parking planned for 50 spaces. Site will need to be graded. If clear more than 1 acre, a stormwater pollution prevention plan (SWPPP) will be required. 20-100 people anticipated. Two Porta-Johns will be provided. Lights may be installed in the future. Jan will write a letter to the Planning Board expressing EC concerns for placement of fill in the wetlands and light pollution due to night lighting.

Highway Dept. Vince reported that roadside mowing has begun. Bloomfield Road has been paved.

Zoning Administration Theresa noted that land was clearcut along the bank of Putnam Brook a few months ago. Was this ever reported to Gerry McKenna? Jan will check EC minutes to see if this was recorded. No DEC wetlands are involved. Jan will contact Gerry M. and suggest he notify DEC.

Saratoga County Water Quality Committee No report.

Correspondence No correspondence.

Town Parks No Spring clean-up was conducted this year.

Adopt-a-Roadside Theresa reported that the Alpine Sports Shop sign has been put up. The 4-H group responsible for Plank Road has done their clean-up and needs more vests. Stewarts has done their clean-up on Locust Grove Road.

New Business Vince asked if the newly constructed barn on Daniels Road exceeds the Town's 35 foot height limit. Jan will ask Gerry M. about this as well.

Next Meeting 20 July 2011

Meeting Adjourned at 7:55 PM