

MINUTES ROCK COUNTY LAND CONSERVATION COMMITTEE WEDNESDAY; AUGUST 3, 2011; 9:00 AM. BECKMAN MILL COUNTY PARK

1. **Call to Order:** Chair Bostwick called the meeting of the Land Conservation Committee to order at 9:02 a.m.

Committee Members Present: Richard Bostwick, Larry Wiedenfeld, David Innis, James Quade, and Alan Sweeney.

Committee Members Absent: Eva Arnold, Fred Yoss, and Ronald Combs

Others Present: Tom Sweeney, LCD; Andrew Baker, LCD; Anne Miller, LCD; Linda Pakes, LCD; and Norman Tadt, LCD

- 2. **Approval of Agenda:** Supervisor Quade motioned to approve the agenda as presented, seconded by Supervisor Wiedenfeld. **Motion Carried**.
- 3. Conduct Southern Area Association Conservation Tour.
- 4. Return to Beckman Mill County Park at 4:30 pm.
- 5. Approval of Minutes July 6, 2011: Supervisor Quade motioned to approve the minutes of the July 6, 2011 Land Conservation Committee, seconded by Supervisor Sweeney. Motion Carried.
- 6. Citizen Participation, Communications, and Announcements: None.
- 7. **Bills / Transfers:** Supervisor Sweeney motioned to approve the bills as presented, seconded by Supervisor Wiedenfeld. **Motion Carried**.
- 8. Approval of Contribution Agreement between Rock County LCD and USDA-NRCS: Tom Sweeney reviewed the highlights of the Contribution Agreement. Supervisor Innis motioned to approve the Contribution Agreement as presented, seconded by Supervisor Quade. **Motion Carried.**
- 9. Land and Water Resource Management Program:
 - a. Approval of Cost Share Agreements; Supervisor Quade motioned to approve the cost share agreements as presented, seconded by Supervisor Wiedenfeld. Motion Carried.
 - b. Approval of 2011 SWRM Grant Staff and Support Reimbursement Request. Tom Sweeney reviewed the 2011 SWRM Grant Reimbursement request. Supervisor Sweeney motioned to approved the reimbursement request as presented, seconded by Supervisor Wiedenfeld. Motion Carried.
- 10. **Purchase of Agricultural Conservation Easements –Discussion.** Suspended until next meeting due to time consideration.

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- 11. **Department Update:** Suspended until next meeting due to time considerations.
- 12. **Adjourn:** Supervisor Wiedenfeld motioned to adjourn the August 3, 2011 Land Conservation Committee meeting at 4:39, seconded by Supervisor Innis. **Motion Carried.**

Respectfully Submitted,

Thomas Sweeney County Conservationist

Minutes are not official until adopted by the Land Conservation Committee.

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