

MINUTES

ROCK COUNTY LAND CONSERVATION COMMITTEE WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6, 2012, 7:15 P.M. LAND CONSERVATION DEPARTMENT CONFERENCE ROOM 440 N US HWY 14 JANESVILLE WI

1. **Call to Order:** Chair Bostwick called the meeting of the Land Conservation Committee to order at 7:15 p.m.

Committee Members Present: Richard Bostwick, Larry Wiedenfeld, Eva Arnold, Ed Nash, Alan Sweeney, Fred Yoss and James Quade.

Committee Members Absent: Deloyde Sanders.

Staff Present: Tom Sweeney, LCD.

- 2. **Approval of Agenda:** Supervisor Quade motioned to approve the agenda, seconded by Supervisor Yoss. **Motion Carried.**
- 3. **Approval of Minutes May 2, 2012:** Supervisor Arnold motioned to approve the minutes of the May 2, 2012 Land Conservation Committee meeting, seconded by Supervisor Wiedenfeld. **Motion Carried.**
- 4. Citizen Participation, Communications, and Announcements: None.
- 5. **Bills:** Supervisor Sweeney motioned to approve the bills as presented, seconded by Supervisor Yoss. **Motion Carried**.
- 6. Land and Water Resource Management Program Approval of Cost Share Agreement: Supervisor Arnold motioned to approve the cost share agreement for the Rock County General Services Committee for the construction of a rock lined waterway as part of the County Campus Restoration Project, seconded by Supervisor Quade. **Motion Carried.**
- 7. Resolution Amending 2012 Land Conservation Department Budget To Offset Costs Associated With County Campus Site Restoration: Supervisor Sweeney motioned to approve the resolution as presented, seconded by Supervisor Yoss. Motion Carried.
- 8. **Discussion of Agricultural Impacts of the Inman Parkway Extension project:** Supervisor Sweeney started the conversation regarding the Inman Parkway Project. Sweeney noted he would like to raise awareness regarding the loss and fragmentation of farmland as a result of road projects currently underway or proposed in Rock County. Impacts from the Inman Parkway project result in a reduction of 16.9 acres of farmland and fragmentation of a farm.
- 9. **Department Update:** Tom Sweeney provided an update on Department activities since the last LCC Meeting.
- 10. **Adjourn:** Supervisor Arnold motioned to adjourn the June 6, 2012 Land Conservation Committee meeting at 8:04 pm, seconded by Supervisor Yoss. **Motion Carried.**

Respectfully Submitted,

Thomas Sweeney
County Conservationist

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