

REGULAR MEETING

PRESENT: Chair Gregory and Commissioners Jackson, Scherbarth, McConnell, Kuhn, and Kielbaso (5:40 pm)

ABSENT: Commissioner Macklem

STAFF

PRESENT: Richard F. Brown, Jr., AICP, Associate Planner

OTHERS

PRESENT: None

1. CALL REGULAR MEETING TO ORDER

Chair Gregory called the meeting to order at 5:35 p.m.

2. APPROVAL OF THE REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

Motion by Vice Chair Jackson to approve the agenda as submitted. Supported by Commissioner Scherbarth. Approved 5-0.

3. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF MAY 21, 2008, REGULAR MEETING MINUTES:

Motion by Vice-Chair Jackson to approve the minutes for the May 21, 2008, regular meeting; supported by Commissioner Scherbarth. Approved 5-0.

4. CHAIR'S REPORT

Discussion on the Environmental Education Committee. Possible discussion on a LEED presentation at a future meeting.

5. COMMUNICATIONS/STAFF REPORT

Associate Planner Brown summarized the following:

- Guest speakers in September and October
- U of M Solar Car winning 2008 North American Solar Race
- Township Energy Savings Committee formed
- Results of the recycling event last weekend; next event is October 11th
- General summary, discussion and question and answer session on the wetland use permit review process

6. PUBLIC REMARKS

None

7. DISCUSSION ITEMS

A. Committee/Liaison Reports

1. Natural Resources & Energy Awareness: Committee members asked to help Commissioner Macklem with environmental public service announcements.
2. Water Features & Wetlands: No report.
3. Environmental Education: No report.

B. Study Groups/Liaisons

Land Preservation: Commissioner Kielbaso gave a brief report.

Parks: No report.

Commissioner McConnell left the meeting at 6:50 pm.

9. OTHER BUSINESS

Commissioner Kielbaso expressed concerns about ash trees not removed thus far. Sick trees are more critical than the already dead ones.

10. PUBLIC REMARKS

None

11. ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Vice-Chair Jackson to adjourn the Regular Meeting. Supported by Commissioner Kielbaso. Approved 5-0. Meeting adjourned at 7:07 p.m.