

LAND CONSERVATION COMMITTEE September 9, 2010

The meeting of the Green Lake County Land Conservation Committee was called to order by Chairman Stoddard at 8:30am on Thursday, September 9, 2010 in the Demonstration Room of the Courthouse in Green Lake, WI. The requirements of the open meeting law were certified as being met.

Present: Michael Stoddard, Chairman Excused: Thomas Traxler, Jr., Vice-Chair

Susan McConnell Maureen Schweder Margaret Whirry

Arnold Dahlke, Jr, FSA Member

Staff Present: James A. Hebbe Others Present: Daniel Priske, County Board Chair

Brenda Sondalle

AGENDA

Motion (Whirry/Schweder) to approve the agenda as presented. Motion carried.

MINUTES

Motion (McConnell/Schweder) to approve and file the August 12, 2010 meeting minutes as presented. Motion carried.

PUBLIC COMMENT none

APPEARANCES none

STAFF REPORTS

A written staff report was distributed and reviewed by Hebbe.

LAKE & RIVER REPORTS

Lake Puckaway - Vegetation survey project ongoing. Staff hosted Commissioner's lake tour. Princeton dam memorandum of understanding agreement between DNR and the Lake Puckaway District was finalized.

Fox River - A copy of the project scope for the Fox River Association and Assessment project grant was handed out. Whirry asked about the involvement of the Lake Puckaway District with this project.

2011 BUDGET

Hebbe passed out budget information. The LCD budget was 2.9% of the levy in the year 2000 and is 3% of the levy in 2010. DATCP staff funding trends were shown along with the levy budget amounts for the department from 2000 to 2010.

DNR BOAT USE APPROVAL

To be discussed next month when more details are available.

MALWEG GRANT

Partnered with UWEX for a DATCP multi-agency land and water education grant application for nutrient management education in the Upper Rock River Watershed. *Motion (McConnell/Whirry)* to approve the MALWEG grant application. Motion carried.

DATCP/COUNTY COST-SHARE CONTRACT APPROVALS

Motion (Dahlke/McConnell) to approve DATCP cost-share contracts as follows:

DHN Farms Partnership \$18,118.80, Barnyard Runoff Mgt, Buffalo & Puckaway Lakes Watershed William & Sharon Kuhfuss, \$7,493.50 Waste Storage Closure, Upper Rock River Watershed Motion carried.

CONSERVATION PLAN APPROVALS none

MEETING ATTENDANCE APPROVAL none

VOUCHERS

Motion (Schweder/Whirry) to approve vouchers as presented in the amount of \$19,268.82. Motion carried.

CORRESPONDENCE

A letter from Patricia Leavenworth, NRCS State Conservationist, was read regarding future contributing agreements and funding opportunities.

COMMITTEE DISCUSSION AND FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS none

NEXT MEETING DATE

Thursday, October 14, 2010 at 8:30am in the Demonstration Room of the Courthouse in Green Lake.

ADJOURN

Motion (Dahlke/Whirry) to adjourn at 10:10am. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Brenda Sondalle, Recorder