

LAND CONSERVATION COMMITTEE October 10, 2019 - MINUTES

The meeting of the Green Lake County Land Conservation Committee was called to order by Robert Schweder, Chairman, at 9:00AM on October 10, 2019 in the Committee Room #0903 of the Green Lake County Government Center in Green Lake, WI. The requirements of the open meeting law were certified as being met. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Excused:

Present: Robert Schweder Katie Mehn Patti Garro Bill Boutwell Andrew Bender, FSA Member

Staff Present: Paul Gunderson Heidi Weishaar

Others Present: Harley Reabe Derek Kavanaugh

MINUTES

Motion/second (<u>Boutwell/Garro</u>) to approve and file the September 12, 2019 meeting minutes. Motion carried.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

None

APPEARANCES

None

TWIN LAKES/GRAND LAKE UPDATE

Derek Kavanaugh gave a presentation on water quality issues on Big and Little Twin Lakes. He also stated that the Lake Management Plan for Grand Lake has been completed.

MONTHLY STAFF REPORT & UPCOMING PROJECTS

Written report was reviewed

LAKE AND RIVER REPORT

Written report was reviewed

DATCP/COUNTY COST-SHARE CONTRACTS ROOS

Motion/second (Garro/Boutwell) to approve cost-share contracts. Motion carried.

FARMLAND PRESERVATION PROGRAM

Gunderson reported that all Farmland Preservation participants have submitted their Nutrient Management Plans and we will continue to work with a few remaining landowners on getting their Annual Compliance Certifications completed.

WELL TESTING PROGRAM

Gunderson informed the committee that the existing well testing data has been compiled and showed a map highlighting the sections yet to be tested. An upcoming Water Task Force Meeting will be held on October 24th to review the next steps involved in Green Lake County's groundwater testing program.

CONSERVATION AWARENESS POSTER CONTEST

The theme this year is **'Where would we BEE without pollinators**'. Packets will be sent to all students grades K-12 by the end of this month.

LEGISLATIVE ISSUES

CORRESPONDENCE

COMMMITTEE DISCUSSION

- Future Meeting Dates: November 14, 2019 at 9:00AM in the Committee Room #0903 of the Green Lake County Government Center in Green Lake.
- Future Agenda items for action & discussion

ADJOURN

Meeting adjourned at ______9:51 AM

Respectfully submitted,

Heidi Weishaar Recorder