

3. PRESENTATIONS/ REPORTS: None

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Motion by: Rich Galer to approve minutes of May 22, 2018

Second by: Russ Hart

Vote: All Ayes

5. ACTION ITEMS: None

6. TOWNHALL SESSION: None

7. OLD BUSINESS (NON-ACTION ITEMS):

7-a. Apiary Open House

- Event scheduled for June 24th was cancelled due to weather and muddy condition of area. The event is rescheduled for September 9th from 1:00 to 4:00 pm.

7-b. Recycling Event

- September 22nd from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm
Simple Recycling was invited to have a booth to collect textiles, inform the public about their free curbside textile collection program and handout bags. It is not certain if they will attend. It was suggested that we provide handouts to people with options for electronics recycling.

7-c. 60th Anniversary Family Fest

- August 11th from 11:00 am to 3:00 pm. Committee booth will offer literature regarding the apiary/bee keeping, new member applications and rain barrel mock-up.

7-d. Drain Stenciling

- July 21st from 9:00 am to 11:30 am (rain date July 28th). Meet at public works building. Andy will propose a map of storm drains that need medallions. A video tutorial of how to apply the medallions is online. Andy will provide a link to video tutorial. Medallions, adhesive and door hangers supplied by the Conservation Foundation. Public works to provide brushes and vests.

7-e. River Sweep

- October 13th (rain date October 20th) – No discussion.

8. NEW BUSINESS (NON-ACTION ITEMS):

8-a. Trustee Liaison Update

- In the future, whenever events are planned a rain date should be decided on and published with the event information.

8-b. Staff Update

- Mayor Craig advised the Village is a member of the Greenest Region Compact and is updating the document of the Village's achievements towards the Greenest Region Compact goals.
- The Village approved a solar ordinance.

- Each member should choose up to 3 areas from the Greenest Region Compact handout provided to discuss at the next meeting. The committee will then choose as a group the areas to focus on.

8-c. Open Discussion

Russ Hart

- Attended “Becoming an Outdoors Woman” workshop at Loreda Taft Field Campus. The event offered training on nature crafts and other skills.

Rich Galer

- Nothing to report.

Lucio Pelloso

- The apiary has no new applicants this year.
- Many surrounding municipalities allow residents to keep a limited number of hives in their backyard. How can we do this in Hanover Park?

Victoria Pelloso

- Some elementary schools have more environmental programs than others. Can we find a way to transfer environmental knowledge/programs between schools?

Bob Wachsmuth

- Greenbrook School installed a geothermal heating and cooling system. The committee should investigate arranging a tour of the geothermal system.

9. ADJOURNMENT:

Motion by: Rich Galer to adjourn at 8:10 pm

Second by: Russ Hart

Vote: All Ayes