



MINUTES
STORMWATER ADVISORY COMMITTEE
BOARD ROOM
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2021 3:45PM

Committee Members Present:

Qiang He, Valerie McFall, Jennifer Mayfield, Violet Freudenberg
Nia Maheshwari (youth member)

Committee Members Absent:

Ed McGimsey and Louise Povlin

Staff Present:

Lori Saal, Stormwater Coordinator

Call to Order:

Violet called the meeting to order at 3:57pm.

Approval of the Minutes:

Did not have quorum to approve minutes. Will approve August 2021 and November 2021 minutes at next scheduled meeting.

Stormwater Coordinator Report:

Notice of Violation Updates:

Ivey – sediment pond not being installed per plans, escalated to a stop work order. Status: Some issues have been corrected, but still issues to be resolved. ***December 2021 Update – Have been released; waiting on engineering report to verify.**

Horizon Plaza –Written warning issued because sediment pond has not been installed; silt fence issue which released sediment into the stream. ***December 2021 update – Open – silt fence not properly trenched and resulted in sediment release into the stream (December 6, 2021), therefore a notice of violation was issued.**

Business Items:

None

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Other Discussion:

Arbor Day celebration/tree giveaway: Received a \$500 grant from TWRA to purchase seedlings; in addition, money in budget to purchase additional seedlings. Town is working on being certified as a Tree City (requirements: tree care ordinance, tree board, spend \$2 per capita on tree care, and have an Arbor Day Celebration).

Discussion on how we should conduct the celebration (March 2022):

- Seedling giveaway
- Inside or outside?
- Educational activities?
- How to make it an activity people/kids will come to?
- How to attract people who wouldn't normally be interested?
- Coloring Contest (possibly through Farragut Press)
- Photo Competition

Stream cleanup: plan during lower snake season; plan March 2022 meeting to be stream cleanup day if good weather. During February meeting, Ms. Saal will do storm water cleanup training.

Confirm Date of Next Meeting:

Next meeting is Thursday, January 13, 2021 at 3:45 p.m. in the Town Hall Board Room.

Adjournment:

The November meeting was adjourned at 4:56 pm.

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