

BLACK CREEK WATERSHED COALITION
Meeting Notes: December 13, 2012
Town of Chili

Action items are underlined.

Attendance: Roberta (Birdie) Ames, Village of Churchville Planning Board; Rochelle Bell, Monroe County Department of Planning & Development; Peggy Grayson, Town of Stafford and GLOW; Brian Ostling, Town of Chili, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works; George Squires, Genesee County SWCD; and Pat Tindale, Town of Chili Conservation Board

Roles: Meeting manager & Timekeeper = George Squires; Scribe = Rochelle Bell

Minutes were reviewed and approved with four changes.

CONGRATULATIONS TO PEGGY GRAYSON for being honored with the *Recycler of the Year* award by the NYS Association of Reduction, Reuse and Recycling!

Peggy will try to get more of the 2013 recycling calendars to bring to the next meeting.

Website: Thanks to George for using Genesee County Soil and Water Conservation District FL-LOWPA funds that are earmarked for supporting watershed planning groups to pay for blackcreekwatershed.org webhosting in 2013.

Chili Zoning: No update. **Brian will get update from David Lindsay and report back at February meeting.**

Pick up the Parks (PUTP): Rochelle will call Larry and Dorothy to see if they are interested in heading up the collection at Churchville and Black Creek parks.

Map Guide printing: June Summers contacted Charlie and Louise and thus Rochelle about having a friend who was a friend of Christine Sevilla's and has 300 MapGuides for us. **Rochelle will get them from Christina on Saturday.** This will allow us to take more time to consider updates to the MapGuide before reprinting. **Everyone: review the Map Guide for possible changes or additions.**

{n.b. we need someone to volunteer to approach the local Walmart about supporting the reprinting}.

Black Creek Trail Feasibility Study: A public meeting was held on 11/29/12 to present the trail alignment alternatives, preferred trail alignment and conceptual design and phasing recommendations. The meeting consisted of board-viewing stations as opposed to a traditional presentation. This approach worked very well, but there was a lot of negativity. The proposed trail spends a fair bit of time on roads and includes quite a few expensive bridges. Obstacles include money and buy-in by private land owners whose property abuts or is near the proposed trail.

Watershed Planning: Birdie looked at Churchville's municipal law review, Pat looked at Chili's. No one has any more comments. There is no indication when the next Planning Advisory Group meeting is going to be scheduled.

Approved 2013 meeting dates: Wednesday, January 30; Monday, February 25; Wednesday, March 27; Tuesday, April 30; Thursday, May 30; Monday, June 24; Wednesday, July 31; Thursday, August 29 (Annual Meeting); Monday, September 30; Wednesday, October 30; Tuesday, November 19; and Monday, December 16, 2013.

Next Meeting: Wednesday, January 30, 2013, Churchville

Parking Lot:

- *IMA expires 12/31/13*
- *Update list of municipal representatives in early 2013*
- *Info Card*