

Goose Creek Scenic River Advisory Committee
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Minutes of the January 18, 2006 meeting,
Lovettsville Room
Loudoun County Government Center
1 Harrison Street, S.E., Leesburg, Virginia

Members Present: Chairman Helen Casey, Vice Chairman Joan Rokus,
Benjamin Lawrence, Mark Peterson, Kurt Erikson, Lynn
Gibson, John Isom

Members Absent: William Hudspeth, Steven Combs-Lafleur

County Staff Present: Marie Genovese, Planner, Community Planning
Alicia Pearson, Recording Secretary, PRCS
Mark Novak, Planner, PRCS
Kelly Baty, Building and Development

Chairman's Business

Chairman Helen Casey called the meeting to order at 1:00 p.m. The next meeting was scheduled for Wednesday March 15, 2006 at 1:00 p.m. in the Lovettsville Room. The next order of business was introductions. Ms. Casey welcomed two newly appointed members of our Committee, Lynn Gibson and John Isom.

Joan Rokus moved and Ben Lawrence seconded to accept the November minutes with the correction of the date of the next meeting to read "January 18, 2006." The motion passed unanimously.

Chairman Helen Casey pulled out the plan for Creekside and voiced concern about the 300' setback.

Anne Larson framed the Resolution of Appreciation for Julia Claypool, and Joan presented it to her at the Northern Virginia Regional Park Authority meeting in January. Helen to send thank you note to Anne.

Joe Maroon reappointed as Director of the Virginia Department of Conservation & Recreation. This is good news for our state river and our Committee. Helen to send Congratulations letter.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Ben Lawrence met with Fauquier County 1/17/06; pleased with the idea of the extension of the scenic river; they have picked their name; he feels the committee is going to be very successful.

Ben feels stream monitoring is very important and wants to go to the Town of Leesburg. He would like an ordinance drawn up.

John Isom going to call and try and get someone to come and talk to the group regarding the widening of the (Greenway) toll road. (Dewberry & Davis)

Helen to send letters to Steven and Bill regarding their status as members.

NEW BUSINESS

Meadowkirk ready for second submit.

Kelly Baty with Building and Development is going to let Joe Ohler know the Stop Work Order signs are down at Kiln Road and will have Joe call Helen. Kelly would like to invite the Goose Creek Scenic River Advisory Committee to the Strategic Watershed Forum. (Mark Peterson and Helen Casey will attend)

The new Virginia Director for Natural Resources is Preston Bryant.

There being no further business of the Committee, the meeting was adjourned at 3:05 p.m.

Guests Present: Chris Pauley, NVRPA

Advisors Absent: Philip Daley

Respectfully Submitted,

Alicia Pearson, PRCS