

The Goose Creek Scenic River Advisory Committee

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Minutes of the July 23, 2014 Meeting
Loudoun County Government Center Building
Lovettsville Room
1 Harrison Street, Leesburg, Virginia 20175

Loudoun Members Present: Chairman Mark Peterson, Vice-Chairman John Isom, Phil Daley, Benjamin Lawrence, Blake Netherwood

Pending Committee Members: Roy Liggett

Loudoun Members Absent: Lynn Gibson, Joan Rokus

County Staff Present: Marie Genovese (Planning and Zoning Department), David Ward (Building and Development), Mark Novak, Recording Secretary, PRCS

Guests: None

Catoctin Committee Members: David Ward

Fauquier Committee Members: Butter Strother

Chairman's Business

Chairman Mark Peterson officially called the meeting to order at 1:05p.m.

The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday September 17, at 1:00 p.m. in the Lovettsville Room Loudoun County Government Building, 1 Harrison Street, Leesburg, Virginia 20175.

First order of business was to approve the May 21, 2014 minutes. Motion to approve minutes was made by Blake Netherwood and seconded by Vice-Chairman John Isom. The minutes were approved unanimously.

Next was an update on the Loudoun Water Potomac Water Supply Program. Currently building access road across Sycolin Creek for facility. Status on Beaverdam Reservoir is it will be closed to public access to allow for work on the dam. Loudoun Water is working on developing land use recreational plan. Stakeholders will be invited to provide input.

Chairman's Updates

Discussed new members pending status.

Chairman

Vice Chairman

Committee

Mark Peterson

John Isom

Phil Daley
Lynn Gibson

Benjamin C. Lawrence
Joan G. Rokus

Wildwood Farm land development application – Chairman Peterson has asked the applicant to come back in September for an update.

Other Updates:

Catoctin Scenic River Committee: David Ward provided an update on SB 551 – Virginia Scenic Rivers. There was some discussion on if the Goose Creek was protection under this bill. Phil Daley request that a letter be written to Lynn Crump, DCR asking if the Goose Creek was protected. David also informed the committee of an event on September 14, 2014 celebrating the beauty and community of the Catoctin Creek. David also reported on June 26, 2014 was Discover Goose Creek Day held at Lansdowne (Keptheart Landing) which 30 people attended.

Fauquier Committee: Butter Strother reported of a proposed small bridge crossing in Fauquier County. The committee is also looking at enacting a 300' setback similar to Loudoun.

There being no further Committee business, the meeting was adjourned at 2:02 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,
Mark A. Novak, ASLA
Chief Park Planner
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of Parks Recreation and Community Services