

Storm Water Management Committee
February 12, 2019
Village Hall

Attendees:

Commission Members: Mayor John Licastro, Chair, Don Bierut, PE, Village Engineer, Gina Huffman, Council Rep and Nick Wanchik.

Residents: Sue Capello, Andy Kesselem and Pat Meade.

Call to Order:

The meeting was called to order at 5:32 pm by Mayor Licastro

Approval of the Minutes:

The minutes of the meeting held on March 28, 2018 were presented. There was not a quorum of attendees present from the last meeting to approve.

Agenda Items:

Don Bierut began by giving an overview of Bratenahl's Storm Water Management Plan, the NPDES Small MS4 General Permit and Cuyahoga County Soil and Water Conservation District (CCSWCD) Public Involvement and Public Education Program (PIPE).

1. An MOU with the Cuyahoga County Board of Health (CCBOH) was discussed as a service provider for the implementation of the Community's Minimum Control Measure Illicit Discharge and Elimination and MCM #6 Pollution Prevention Good Housekeeping for Municipal Operations under the Ohio EPA Phase 2 Stormwater Permit. Any costs incurred by having the CCBOH conduct this program for the Village are reimbursed. A motion was made by Mr. Wanchik and seconded by Ms. Huffman to sign the MOU. **Motion passed unanimously.**
2. A discussion ensued regarding the NEORS installation of a Son-Tek IQ pipe flow and level sensor at the Dugway Creek Floatable Netting Facility. This is required to perform the Mass Nutrient calculations to determine contaminants in the water. There is no cost to the Village.
3. A discussion ensued re the PIPE program and events sponsored by the CCSWCD. These events include Stream Cleanup, Rain Barrel workshops, Watershed Friendly Landscaping Seminars, Tree Planting and Tree Seed Collections, Green Yards and Healthy Homes

Workshops, Storm Drain Stenciling, Riparian Invasive Species Management and Plant Pulls and Citizen Participation in Watershed Planning and Management.

The Village has done or will do several of these items; therefore, the Committee made a motion to ask CCSWCD to conduct a Green Yard and Healthy Homes workshop and a Riparian Invasive Species Management and Plant Pull Event. Motion made by Mr. Wanchik, seconded by Ms. Huffman. **Motion passed unanimously.**

A general discussion ensued re the clean up of Dugway Brook and Nine Mile Creek. NEORS has committed to a clean up of the creek bed of Nine Mile and a full restoration of the collapsed headwall of the Storm water outfall from Oakshore Green storm water flow. The Western Reserve Land Conservancy will conduct the yearly cleanup of Dugway Brook in Spring of 2019.

A motion was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting at 6:14 pm. **Motion passed unanimously.**