

CRAWFORD COUNTY LAND CONSERVATION DEPARTMENT
LAND USE CONCERNS
January 17, 2012

The meeting was called to order by Vice Chair Dull at 9:05 a.m. Dull verified the posting of the agenda. Members present for roll call were Stephen Kvigne, David Olson, Wade Dull & Harriet Behar. Henry Esser was excused.

A motion was made by Olson seconded by Kvigne to approve the agenda and minutes as posted. Motion carried.

Kickapoo River Clean Up Project

Dale Klemme updated the committee on the Kickapoo Obstruction Project & distributed a copy of bids and updates on the project. Payments issued to date were discussed. Dale shared the status of each phase of the project, showing the costs/payments made versus the grant awarded. We have 4 sections left. Dale presented two pay requests: \$3,800.00 (final) to Lepke Excavating for Section C & \$765.00 to Dressler's Sawmill for 3 loads of debris hauled. Discussion of advertising debris clean-up, hauling, grinding/shredding on site & problems involved. Dale will be meeting with Commerce on Tuesday & will discuss additional funds for current contract, as they indicated money is being returned by other counties & can be awarded to ongoing contracts.

Motion by Kvigne, seconded by Olson to pay Lepke Excavating \$3,800.00 & Dressler's Sawmill \$765.00. Motion carried.

Gionne Collins

Gigi indicated the Village of Desoto levy did not include TID (Special Districts) & that will change the tax role. They have not decided how to correct the problem. Gigi distributed copies of Mill Rates. She discussed some parcels that are being prepared & ready for sale. Currently she is getting workbooks ready for assessors for 2012. She indicated that Arlen & Cindy Latham, town of Utica, are paying taxes, but under protest, this should really be a township board of review issue.

John Rybarczyk

John distributed copies of 2011 Summary of Sanitary Permits & break down by municipality. He indicated he had set down with Regional Planning Commission and went over accuracy of new maps. Discussion of Shoreland Zoning Ordinance & next month we will have an update. There is a structure on Sugar Creek that needs to be dealt with & he is working with Pete on getting a Zoning Board appointed to deal with this issue. The bills were presented.

Motion by Olson to pay bills and Behar seconded. Motion carried.

Rich Marks

Rich indicated the last month has been spent on surveying tax parcels & finishing tax mapping. Rich has his new computer. Project is completed & he displayed maps for the committee to view. Bills were presented.

Motion to pay bills by Behar, seconded by Olson. Motion carried.

The committee set their next meeting date for Tuesday, February 14, 2012.

Olson moved to adjourn and Behar seconded.