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ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE September 22, 2015

The regular meeting of the Environment Committee of the St. Clair County Board was called to order on Tuesday, September 22, 2015 in the St. Clair County Board Conference Room, #10 Public Square, Belleville, Illinois, by Dave Tiedemann.

Members present: Joseph Kassly, Dixie Seibert, Angela Grossmann-Roewe, Fred Boch, Nick Miller and Chairman Dave Tiedemann.

Members excused: Marty Crawford

Also in attendance: Anne Markezich, Zoning Director and Jennifer Meyer, Health Department.

There were no persons present for public comment.

MOTION by Grossmann-Roewe, second by Boch to approve minutes of August 25, 2015. Motion carried.

MOTION by Seibert, second by Miller to approve the Zoning Fee Report. Motion carried.

MOTION by Seibert, second by Grossmann-Roewe to approve Building Permit List. Motion carried.

MOTION by Kassly, second by Grossmann-Roewe to approve Occupancy Program Report. Motion carried.

MOTION by Miller, second by Grossmann-Roewe to approve Expense Claims. Motion carried.

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ENFORCEMENT DECISION GROUP (EDG) REPORT

Enforcement Decision Group Report (See Addendum "A")

MOTION to approve report by Seibert, second by Boch. Motion carried.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT - JENNIFER MEYER

Jennifer presented an amendment to the Water Supply Code Ordinance to include closed loop wells. Jennifer stated the ordinance was previously approved by the Board of Health and Finance Committees. Jennifer explained a closed loop well is used for geothermal and the State is requiring them to be permitted.

MOTION to approve report by Boch. Second Grossmann-Roewe. Motion carried.

ZONING DIRECTOR'S REPORT - ANNE MARKEZICH

Anne stated in the upcoming month the Village of Swansea will sign a contract with the County to perform Occupancy Inspections. Anne will keep the Committee updated on the progress of the contract.

MOTION to approve report by Seibert, second by Miller. Motion carried.

BEN HENNING - STATE'S ATTORNEY REPORT

No report.

KEVIN MCDANIEL - CLEAN SWEEP

Not present.

MOTION to adjourn by Miller, second by Grossmann-Roewe. Motion carried.

Environment Committee Report, September 22, 2015

From EDG meeting, September 15, 2015

- 62 Environmental contacts were made during the month of August
- 2 Open Dump sites were closed
- 6 Landfill Inspections were conducted
- 1 Compost Site Inspection was conducted
- HB 2046 was passed to release public health funds.
- Lorraine Haywood has been selected as a new member of the Board of Health. Dr. Vest is retiring and Dr. Jay Magner has been selected as a possible replacement.
- The St. Clair County Health Department is sponsoring a campaign during October to urge people to Go Green and practice the 3R's – Reduce, Reuse & Recycle. Residents are asked to voluntarily fill out cards pledging to recycle their solid waste. The cards will be collected by the Health Department and used in a live drawing on Friday, November 13, 2015 at 11:00 AM. Prizes TBA.
- Ozone season will end on September 19th.
- St. Clair County has identified two positive human cases of West Nile Virus, one
 resulting in death. The SCCHD has collected enough statistical data for the State to
 stop collections and testing of mosquitoes. We will still collect birds until further
 notice. Staff presented WNV at Maryville University.