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ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE
June 20, 2017

The regular meeting of the Environment Committee of the St. Clair County Board was called to order on Tuesday, June 20, 2017 in the St. Clair County Board Conference Room, #10 Public Square, Belleville, Illinois, by Chairman, Dave Tiedemann.

Members present: Asst. Chairman June Chartrand, Nick Miller, June Chartrand, Ken Easterley and Paul Seibert.

Members excused: Marty Crawford & Joseph Kassly

Also in attendance: Anne Markezich, Zoning; Kristy Mullins, St. Clair County Health Department, Sharon Valentine, St. Clair County Health Department; and John West, County Board Member.

Members recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

There were no persons present for public comment.

MOTION by Seibert, second by Easterley to approve Minutes of May 23, 2017. Motion carried.

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

MOTION by Miller, second by Seibert to approve Zoning Board Summaries. Motion carried.

MOTION by Miller, second by Easterley to approve Occupancy Program Report. Motion carried.

MOTION by Easterley, second by Miller to approve Building Permit List. Motion carried.

MOTION by Seibert, second by Miller to approve Expense Claims. Motion carried.

ENFORCEMENT DECISION GROUP (EDG) REPORT

Enforcement Decision Group Report. (See Addendum "A")

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT - SHARON VALENTINE

Ms. Valentine stated the Household Hazardous Waste collection was held on June 17, 2017 at Melvin Price Park from 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM. The event was overly successful and unfortunately residents were turned away at the end of the event. There were some complaints and disappointment from residents that were turned away at the end of the day. Ms. Valentine explained the time span for the collection is an EPA regulation.

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

ZONING DIRECTOR'S REPORT - ANNE MARKEZICH

Ms. Markezich stated Occupancy Inspections are currently booking two weeks out on the schedule. She explained this is normal this time of year, whereas this is the busy time for inspections.

Ms. Markezich stated the Zoning office is overwhelmed with complaints. She stated they have received a lot of complaints regarding trees. Ms. Markezich will have further discussion with Mr. Henning.

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

CLEAN SWEEP PROGRAM

The Clean Sweep Program collected 43.1 tons in May, 2017.

BEN HENNING - STATE'S ATTORNEYS OFFICE

No report.

MOTION to approve by Chartrand, second by Seibert. Motion carried.

BEN HENNING - STATE'S ATTORNEY REPORT

No Report.

MOTION to adjourn by Miller, second by Easterley. Motion carried.

Environment Committee Report, June 20, 2017

From EDG meeting, June 13, 2017

- 69 SCCHD Environmental contacts made during the month of May
 - 101 SCCSD Environmental contacts made during the month of May
 - 7 SCCSD Environmental citations issued during the month of May
 - 2 Open Dump sites opened
 - 1 Open Dump site closed
 - 5 Landfill Inspections conducted
 - 1 Compost Site Inspection conducted
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- Clean Sweep: 43.01 for May
 - HHW Collection on Saturday, June 17th in Swansea at Melvin Price Park from 8a-3p. Event was overly successful and unfortunately residents were turned away at the end of the day.
 - A SIUE intern will be working with Environmental through the summer.
 - WNV and Zika surveillance has started. 2 birds have been submitted to IDPH for WNV testing, both have been negative.