

TWO RIVERS COALITION August 11, 2010 BOARD MEETING GENEVA TOWNHIP HALL

Call to order: 7:11 p.m.

Attendees: Sam Ewbank, Joe Parman, Kevin Haight, Dave Foerster, Matt Meersman, Nancy

Edwards, Joe VanWahlde, Geoffrey Cripe, Marcy Colclough (Board Members underlined)

Agenda - approved with additions, no objections

Moved to approved July 14, 2010 minutes - all in favor

Treasurers Report – Matt Meersman - Hand-out and computer display provided; Net income of \$2,373.73, Total Assets \$7,550.86.

Motion by Joe Parman, second by Kevin Haight to approve August 11, 2010 Treasurer's Report – motion carried

Committee Reports – new information

Fundraising – Sam Ewbank, Foundry Hall event was well attended and \$2435 was raised for TRC. Well done, Sam!

Membership/Recruitment - **Motion** by Dave Foerster, seconded by Kevin Haight to have Freshwater Future assist in writing the membership notification and information letter, not to exceed 8 hours, \$600.

Website – Dave Foerster, Board Members were trained by LIAA for management and development of the TRC website. Dave is currently working on the websites "reply back" section for development.

Annual Meeting – Stu Kogge, from JF New was suggested as a possible speaker for annual meeting. The board is also looking into having a professor from Western Michigan University as a speaker in addition to Stu Kogge.



Announcements, comments:

Kevin Haight, TRC Board Member will be paddling the Paw Paw River to raise money for TRC. Kevin's route, dates, etc... will be post on TRC's website. Sponsorship and donations are welcome to help Kevin's efforts and TRC. Log on to tworiverscoalition.com for more information.

September 18th, Native Plant Sale, Van Buren Conservation District October 21st - Techniques of Wetland Restoration November 17th – Farming for the Future

Adjourn 8:42 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by, Joe Parman, Secretary