



**TWO RIVERS COALITION  
APRIL 14, 2010 BOARD MEETING  
GENEVA TOWNSHIP HALL**

**Call to Order:** 7:10 PM

**Attendees:** Dave Foerster, Tom Howe, Nancy Edwards, Sam Ewbank, Matt Meersman, Al Baerren, Kevin Haight, Anne Odden, Gaye Blind, Rosemary Insidioso, Lou Gibson, Brian Boyer, Carla Koretsky (Board members underlined)

**Candidate Speakers:** Aric Nesbitt and Doug Harrington - 80<sup>th</sup> District State Representative Candidates

**Agenda:** M/ Edwards, S/ Ewbank - Approved

**Meeting Minutes:** March 18 meeting minutes - M/ Haight, S/ Ewbank and approved with addition of Matt Meersman to the list of attendees

**Treasurer's Report:** M/ Howe, S/ Edwards - Approved

**Program:** Woods Lake Water Quality Research - Western Michigan University Environmental Studies (Tom Howe and Dr. Carla Koretsky)

**Committee Reports**

**Fundraising** (Ewbank) - Announced Foundry Hall Events in May, June and July and discussed need to involve more members; Proposed a Resolution that TRC apply to the Michigan Liquor Control Commission and pay the \$110 filing fee to operate a bar at the May 15, 2010 Foundry Hall Event - M/ Ewbank, S/ Meersman and approved.

**Membership** (Howe) - Discussed sample Membership flyer/ card

**Media/ Communications** (Foerster) - This activity needs a Chair



**Web Site** (Foerster) - Reviewed progress on website and status of various features; based on progress to date, the website is expected to go live by the end of April

**Community Connections** (Baerren) - Reviewed first draft of Who Do I Call? Flyer; attendees provided input for follow up

**Phosphorus Ban** (Foerster) - Discussed example fertilizer bag stickers; obtain Lawn Tips Flyers - M/ Foerster, S/ Haight and approved

**Septic Outreach** - No report

**Buffers** - No report

**Old Business:** None

**New Business:** None

### **Announcements**

**Ox Creek Watershed Assessment Report Meeting** - April 21 @ 6:30 PM; Benton Charter Township Hall

**Using Green Infrastructure to Protect Water Quality** - April 26 @ 8 AM to 5 PM; Fetzer Center, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo

**South Haven Maritime Museum** - April 17 @ 2 PM

Al Baerren  
Vice-President