

## Vernon County Zoning Committee Meeting Minutes

UW Extension Meeting Room, Erlandson Building

April 13, 2010

Members Present: Jerry Cade, Leo Verbsky, Francis Hynek, Richard Brose and Ray Moser

Others in attendance: Susan Burkhamer, Zoning Administrator

Jerry Cade brought the meeting to order.

Burkhamer affirmed proper notice and posting.

Verbsky moved to approve the minutes from the last meeting as mailed, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Moser with all in favor.

Burkhamer presented the Work-Income-Expense report and said that although the reports reflect that field work is increasing with sanitary permits and soil evaluations double in number compared to the same time period in 2009. Burkhamer noted expenses include motel room for the WCCA Spring Conference and an oil change on the Ranger. Moser moved to approve the voucher in the amount of \$995.27, second by Verbsky.

Burkhamer reported on the monthly office activity noting that it has been very busy with septic complaints. Burkhamer described the most active complaints she is working on and said that one complainant had contacted the EPA as she felt that things weren't moving quickly enough. Burkhamer said that she had met with Corp Counsel Lunde regarding the potential of taking the matter to court, but was not finished with the preliminary field work and hoped to resolve the issue before it got to that point. Burkhamer said she was notified of a violation by Land and Water in which Kelly forwarded a copy of a magazine article from the Mother Earth News which described a new homestead in Greenwood Township. The article disclosed that the landowners are pumping in water from a spring. Although there is an older soil evaluation on file for the property, there is no permitted wastewater treatment system on file.

The next meeting was set for May 11, 2010 at 8:30 a.m. – in the small 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor meeting room. Brose moved to adjourn, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Hynek with all in favor.

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Approved 5/11/2010 Brose/Hynek