

# **GRANVILLE TOWNSHIP LAND MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MINUTES**

Monday, February 18, 2013

**ATTENDING:** Grace Gordon, Judy Preston, Andy McCall, Lynn Connelly, Craig Connelly and Greg Dixon.

**PUBLIC RELATIONS:** No report.

## **PARKS AND TRAILS:**

Grace was contacted about providing a number of Granville Middle School students a way to satisfy 10 hours of a class required service project. The students are interested in serving the project at SVNP. A previous project involved removal of garlic mustard, an invasive weed. Because the prior project involved side by side supervision and will require someone to sign off upon completion, our discussion addressed other possible projects or a less time consuming way of assuring work was actually completed. One additional project mentioned involved painting the newly erected privacy fence around the portable toilet. Paint and equipment would be provided by the trustees. Also, if the removal of garlic mustard was chosen, it was suggested to provide instructions as to where to deposit the bags of the pulled weed, giving the students a measure of accountability without our direct supervision.

Grace will contact the school to determine how many students are interested and report back to the committee.

**EARTH DAY:** Judy sent out emails to LLT about possible Earth Day projects or plans. There was no response.

**SCOUT UPDATE:** Alex Wilson will repeat his presentation concerning trail signage at SVNP directly to the Granville Township Trustees during their meeting on February 27, 2013. Judy, Lynn and Craig will try to attend. The LMC previously endorsed the project after his presentation during our meeting in January.

**WILDFLOWER WALK:** Andy McCall will again lead a wildflower walk at SVNP. This year, the walk is set for April 14, at 4PM. Previous walks have been well attended and we thank Andy for his time and expertise.

## **AGRICULTURE**

### **DEVELOPMENT RIGHTS: INSPECTION ASSIGNMENTS**

Group 1 - Greg Dixon leader, Judy Preston second, Properties – Linda & James White, Homestead Farm, Joseph & Therese White (T4, T5 & T6)

Group 2 - Lynn Connelly leader, Craig Connelly & Mickey Smith seconds, Properties - Row Farms, Frances Robb & Lucinda Smith, Bruce Farms, Wayde Gutridge & Mary Dixon (T1, T2, T3, T7 & T8)

Group 3 - Grace Gordon leader, Andy McCall second, Properties - Tataranowicz, Granville Township (T32 & T33)

Group 4 - Judy Preston leader, Dick Kinsley second, Properties - Smith & Goss (T20 & T21)

Group leaders will schedule the inspections when both they and their seconds can be available. They will email the balance of the committee so that anyone who wishes can also attend. They will also complete the inspection reports and return them (with the file folders) to the committee chair at the April 22, 2013 meeting.

**ROSEVIEW:** It was reported to Grace that a possible violation of the green buffer zone may have occurred on the north side of the Roseview subdivision. After visual inspection by Grace, further confirmed by Greg, the area cleared seemed questionably close enough to the buffer zone and possibly SVN property lines to warrant alarm. Grace alerted Judy to the problem and Judy brought the Trustees in to the loop.

Trustee Dan VanNess will bring this and other concerns to the attention of the home owner's association for Roseview, as well as reiterating the existence of the buffer zone and its restricted uses.

In addition, Travis will try to locate the existing survey pins, and visually highlight them, so the homeowners will be more aware of property lines, as well as buffer zone boundaries.

Judy will keep the committee informed on these matters as they unfold.

**NEXT MEETING:** April 22, 2013