

CHILI CONSERVATION BOARD

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Town of Chili Conservation Board - Approved Minutes, February 3, 2014

The Chili Conservation Board meeting was called to order at 7:04p.m. on February 3, 2014 at the Chili Town Hall, 3333 Chili Ave., Rochester, New York 14624.

Present: Ilze Bullwinkel, Carolyn DeHority, Larry Lazenby, R.J. Schickler, Bill Steimer, Pat Tindale (Chair) and Jordon Brown (Town Board liaison)

Absent: Jill Fornarola

Minutes: The minutes from the December 2, 2013 Conservation Board meeting were approved with changes.

Guests: Kim Shust from Gates-Chili H.S. Participation in Government class

Michael S. Schaffron, P.E. from LaBella Associates, P.C. representing RG&E/Iberdola

Doug McCord, representing RG&E/Iberdola

Old Business: RG&E/Iberdola - Scottsville Road

The landscaping effort for the proposed buildings (which will not be visible from Scottsville Rd.) will be focused on the front of the existing facility. After a lengthy discussion, they will submit three revised LLA prints reflecting the following Conservation Board suggestions:

- Any replacement trees, will not be subtracted from the new 19 trees, that are to be planted as shown per print
- The trees will have a minimum of a 3 inch caliper.
- Replace the three Norway Maples in the NW corner of the property.
- Revise the planting details; the diameter of the holes is a minimum of 36 inches, the holes are lined with 4-5 inches of Zinca stone and the plantings are 4-5 inches above grade.

New Business: Bill Steimer reported that the first meeting of the Open Space Planning Committee was held on January 21, 2014.

The Town of Wheatland and the Farmland Protection Plan had a joint meeting on January 27, 2014. Scott Copey, Chair of Farmland and Open Space preservation in Parma was the guest speaker. He gave an overview of the Town of Parma, which implemented the Farmers Protection Plan two years ago. Bob King, head of the Ag. Department at MCC and a member of Genesee Land Trust were also present.

For Discussion: The Conservation Board discussed the November 2013 Planning Board condition that Roberts Wesleyan appear before the CB with revised landscape plans to make up the over 30% of missing plant material that is to be planted elsewhere on their campus.

Bill Steimer called for an adjournment at 8:45 p.m. It was seconded by Ilze Bullwinkel. The next meeting of the Conservation Board is scheduled for March 3, 2014.