

10/26/10 Conservation Board Minutes

TOWN of ELMA CONSERVATION BOARD
1600 Bowen Road Elma, NY 14059

MINUTES OF MEETING – October 26, 2010

The Regular Meeting of the Town of Elma Conservation Board, hereinafter referred to as the ECB, was held on Tuesday, October 26, 2010 at 7:03 PM in the Conference Room at the Elma Town Hall, 1600 Bowen Road, Elma, NY.

PRESENT: ABSENT:

Chairman Bryant Zilke Member Kenneth Schroeder
Member Raymond Boy
Member Michael Sobczak
Member William Jackson
Member Laurence Daley
Member Jim Malczewski
Recording Secretary Kerry Galuski

I APPROVE MINUTES – September 28, 2010

Motion to approve minutes of September 28, 2010 made by Jim Malczewski and second by Larry Daley. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

II UPDATE ON LAND INVENTORY PROJECT

A. Review Elma parcel maps

Talk about new suggestions on how to use the GIS system.

III CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

A. Follow up - Cost Benefit Model

Ray spoke with Pat King on the tax figures for the County and School system. Ray is going to figure what the actual cost would be for residents that did not have the tax break. Mike S. spoke with Supervisor Nolan to see where Orchard Park is at with the school system.

IV PROPOSED CONSERVATION EASEMENT LEGISLATION

A. Update on LCE Draft Legislation

There is no new information on the legislation at this time. Kerry is going to check with the Assessor of Orchard Park to see how the easement program was presented to their school district. There was a suggestion that maybe the Town could fund a program if the easement program does not go through. Are there any grants available for the conservation board to get?

V NEW CONSERVATION IDEAS

Bryant spoke with a few different boards to see if there is anything they could assist with. Their focus is primarily on creek maintenance. There could be an interest maybe with parcels in Elma that are near any creeks.

VII FYI

Building Inspector's Report – September 2010
Elma Planning Board Minutes – Town Web Site
Elma Town Board Minutes – Town Web Site
Elma Zoning Board Minutes – Town Web Site

VIII ADJOURN

Motion made by Ray Boy and second by Larry Daley to adjourn the meeting at 7:53 PM.
Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion Carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Kerry Galuski,
ECB Recording Secretary