

Item 8B. BCWMC 9-18-14

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MINUTES

June 10, 2014

A meeting of the West Metro Water Alliance (WMWA) was called to order by Amy Juntunen at 8:37 a.m., Tuesday, June 10, 2014, at Plymouth City Hall, 3400 Plymouth Boulevard, Plymouth, MN.

Present were: Laura Jester, Bassett Creek WMC; Ben Scharenbroich, Plymouth; Mary Anderson and Jenny Schaust, Educators; Alisa Reckinger, Hennepin County Environmental Services (HCES); Denis Hahn, Three Rivers Park District (TRPD); Judie Anderson and Amy Juntunen, JASS.

1. Motion by Hahn, second by Scharenbroich to approve the **Minutes*** of the May 13, 2014 meeting. *Motion carried*.

2. Watershed PREP.

- **a. Update 2014 Classes.** Final numbers for the 2013-2014 school year were presented. Classes reached 978 students in the fall and 1126 students in the spring. Lesson two was taught by WMWA Educators at one school in the fall and a teacher at one school taught the lesson in the spring.
- **b. Update 2014 Events.** A list of community events attended was included in the handout. New Hope requested Educators to attend New Hope City Days on June 21. Jackson Middle School invited the Educators to return for their panel for sixth and eighth grade students. WaterShed Partners requested volunteers to man their booth at the State Fair. Schaust will plan to attend Golden Valley Days on September 13.

3. 2014 Marketing Plan.

- **a. Partnership with Excelsior Brewery.** Juntunen will work on connecting with John Klick at Excelsior Brewing regarding the coaster project.
 - **b. 10 Things brochure.** The brochures have been printed and distributed.
- **E-Newsletter Water Links.** Juntunen will send a Doodle to the volunteers and Reckinger to schedule a meeting.

Article ideas: Watershed PREP, fall cleanups, city compost pick-up days.

- **5. Other Business/Announcements.** The Educators performed the Watershed PREP lesson.
 - **a.** The **next meeting** will be held at 8:30 a.m. on Tuesday, September 9.
- **6. Adjournment.** There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 9:31 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Amy/Juntunen

Recording Secretary

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