

Stafford Hamlet Community Meeting  
March 15, 2010  
Athey Creek Middle School

Board Members Present: Carol Yamada, Sally Quimby, Dave Coles, Erik Eselius;  
David Halseth, Mike Miller, Charlie Hoff, Molly Ellis, Jay Minor  
Board Members Absent: John Kuhl  
County Liason: Chris Roth  
County Dispute Center: Amy Cleary  
Community Members: Roger Pease, Ann Culter, Jerry Marshall, Mike Stewart

David H, Chair, opened meeting at 7:10P.

Bridge Update: Sally Q reported that the new bridge paving should be completed mid-late April. The plan is then to close the old bridge and begin having traffic use the new bridge, with Stafford Rd moved to the west side again. The total completion of the work is still slated for Nov 2010, depending upon the weather.

Oswego Hills Update: Jerry Marshall reported that he is waiting to be able to utilize his area for events. So far, he does not have approval for tents or outside amplification. Chris stated that the county staff had recommended that these be allowed with restrictions per current State ordinance. The Planning Commission is favorable to this. The BCC will review mid-April. The Board will send a letter of support for this change, as well as for Oswego Hills Vineyard specifically.

Wildlife Update: Ann stated that the deadline for submission of surveys is March 20. She also had West Linn Girl Scouts using survey. This portion will be complete by the end of April. She hopes to have all data compiled and a report to the Board in May. Cannon Beach has requested for the mapping, her poster boards and a copy of the survey for "Earth Day" there. Ann will take and make herself available.

Stafford Newsletter: Carol Y. has named the newsletter "The Stafford Character". It will come out monthly, with April 1 being the first edition. The topic for April is Garden; for May, trails; for June soils. She hopes to include discussion of governance as we go forward. Anyone can write stories, editorial, opinion. She is thinking of 'artist of the month'.

We may want to do a mailing by and poster boards around the Hamlet to obtain more email addresses. Chris said she would have monies available by the end of June.

Urban Reserves: David H. said that we will discuss where we go from here at Board retreat March 30. Rumor that a suit may be filed by one of the cities. IGAs with county and cities and metro will guide further work. Possible panel discussion about process from here on out at a Town Hall.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:45PM

Respectfully submitted,

Sally Quimby  
Stafford Hamlet Secretary