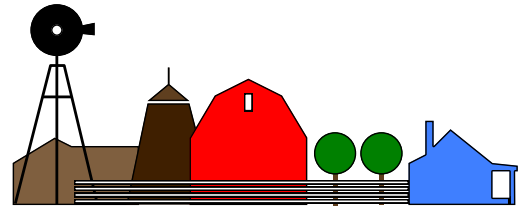


**RUSTIC ROADS ADVISORY COMMITTEE**  
7-9 PM Executive Office Building, Rockville  
15<sup>th</sup> floor conference room

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**MEETING AGENDA**

June 28, 2011

- Meeting Minutes –May 24, 2011

**Updates:**

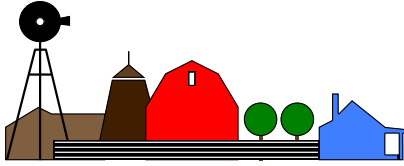
- Correspondence
  - Response Letter from County Executive.
  - Copy of our letter to the planning board sent by Greg
  - Update on staffing coordinator position

**New Business:**

- Response to latest PEPCO tree trimming on Hughes Road etc.

**Next Meeting:**

Sept 27, 2011



**MINUTES**  
**RUSTIC ROADS ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING**  
**June 28, 2011**  
**Executive Office Building – Rockville**

**Members Present:**

Bob Goldberg                      Leslie Saville – MNCPPC member  
Fred Lechluder  
Eric Spates                         Laura Bradshaw –acting staff coordinator  
Marc Miller  
Greg Deaver  
**Absent:** Robin Ziek, Greg Glenn

The meeting began at 7:00 PM.

**Minutes** – The May 24, 2011 minutes, were read and approved with no corrections.

Updates

Discussion that cleared up some misunderstanding about the way the committee communicates with each other and its correspondents.

Brief discussion about the letter sent to the planning board regarding the “kiddy lots” located at Slidell and West Old Baltimore.

Leslie let the committee know that the replacement of the Master Plan of Highways will not be renewed next year due to budget constraints; hence we will not be designating any new rustic roads.

Discussion regarding the short term prospects for the DPS Staff coordinator position and that a replacement for Sarah Navid at DPS is on going and that the responsibilities for coordinating with this committee shall be part of that position.

New Business

- Discussion of a proposed cell tower at the corner of Triadelphia Rd and Georgia Ave on a property with a Georgia address. The committee decided to send a letter to T-mobile requesting a change in the type of pole to minimize the impact on Triadelphia.

- Discussion of 2 small bridges that are planned to be replaced by mandatory referral on Whites Ferry Rd.
- The committee was informed that a meeting was planned for June 30<sup>th</sup> with Councilman Elrich's staff, Pepco representatives and others at the headquarters of the Montgomery Countryside Alliance in Poolsville to discuss tree trimming that Pepco had been conducting along or near Rustic Roads. The committee requested that a voting member of the RRAC be included in the meeting and Leslie agreed to seek an invitation for Eric Spates who offered to attend and present the 3 point position of the committee as follows:
  1. The laws and mandates of the County, State and Master Plan should be followed
  2. Clearing should achieve the safe travel of farm equipment, school, passenger and emergency vehicles
  3. Given the above 2 points trees and other vegetation contributing to the rustic character of the designated roads should be preserved.

Meeting adjourned at 8:45 pm. Next meeting September 27, 2011

**Minutes approved with minor corrections on September 27, 2011  
Amended January, 2012**