January 24th, 2012

MEETING AGENDA

Updates:
RRAC Membership Status
- Jeremy is putting out feelers for Fred’s replacement
- Christopher Marsten
- Mark Miller

Correspondence
Montevideo Bridge
Batchellors Forest Rd.
Clarify process for approving correspondence by email.

Batchellors Forest Road
Review our documentation.

New Business:
Meeting on West Harris Dec. 21, 2011 regarding the development of steep slopes along road and what could be done to improve the chances of keeping the road at original width, preserving the trees and preventing further erosion into the stream.

In attendance:
- Keith Compton, Chief of Division of Hwy Services
- Dorsey, Chief of Field Operations
- Mike Ault, Dist. Supervisor Poolesville Depot
- Another Guy from Depot
- Rick Brush
- Greg Deaver
- Laura Bradshaw
- Caroline Taylor, Exec Countryside alliance
- Woman from Audubon
- Local neighbor

Next Meeting:
February 28, 2012
MINUTES
RUSTIC ROADS ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING
January 23, 2012
Executive Office Building – Rockville

Members:

Bob Goldberg  Leslie Saville – MNCPPC non-voting member
Eric Spates  Laura Bradshaw – acting staff coordinator
Marc Miller
Greg Deaver
Fred Lechlider

The meeting began at 7:00 PM.

Minutes – November 29, 2011 minutes, were read and approved with minor

Updates
Batchellors Forest Rd.
Troy Kimmel from a Parents of Farquhar student’s organization came and gave
us a presentation of the Farquhar Middle School improvement plan along
Batchellors Forest Rd. from their perspective. We shared that we had written a
letter to the Superintendent requesting comment as plans come to fruition and
that our mission was to support the rural character or the designated rd.

Next Month We will hear from another applicant for development along
Batchellors Forest Rd. The Trotters Glen Golf Course has gone under contract
and there are plans to develop housing on it.

Correspondence We decided that when circulating documents for comment we
would use a deadline date and assume that if members were not heard from
they accenting agreement to the proposed wording of such correspon

dence.

Membership Status Christopher Marston, and Mark millers applications have
been received at the EOB and we should hear from them soon We decided that
if we didn't receive anymore applicants for Robin’s position, we would interview
Christopher before the start of the next meeting. (This is how Fred recalls
beginning his involvement).

Angela Butler was suggested as a possible replacement for Fred. Laura invited
her to join us and she will be coming to the next meeting to get a sense of what
being on the committee would be like.
**New Business**

*West Harris Rd.* The meeting that was held on December 21\(^{st}\) was discussed as well as mitigation solutions. Leslie will bring slides to the next meeting that show the condition of the road in 1991. This will help provide perspective in contrast with the current conditions and support any efforts the committee makes to fix the problem. Laura will contact the sediment control attendees of the meeting and revisit their thoughts on the matter and bring them back to the committee for evaluation.

Bob requested that we get serious about making progress on the Design Guidelines. Laura said she would outline what we have and what is still missing to complete the Guide Book.

Eric Spates requested that we re-open the minutes from June 28, 2011 and amend them with a slightly different characterization of his involvement in the meeting held on June 30\(^{th}\) with stakeholders concerned with PEPCO’s trimming along Rustic Roads.

Meeting adjourned at 9:00 pm. Next meeting February 28, 2012

**Nov. Minutes approved:**