# Waukewan Watershed Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes August 1, 2012

Members Present:Staff Present:Visitors:Bill CorrJohn EdgarPat TarpeyRandy EifertAngela Labrecque

Randy Eifert John Hodsdon Carla Horne Bob Vogler Stan Wallerstein Tim Whiting

#### Agenda:

- Approve minutes for prior meeting
- Foundry Avenue ZBA variance update
- High Risk Septic Systems
  - July 16<sup>th</sup> Septic Workshop review
  - Discuss draft septic regulation after last month's input from Gary Spaulding (I have updated the draft attached with his inputs)
  - Updates on any of the 31 that have reached out/contacted us along with spreadsheet of the 31 High Risk

Having a quorum at 8:02 am, Chairman Randy Eifert opened the meeting.

#### The 7/2/2012 WWAC meeting minutes were approved as had been drafted.

## Comments on the 7/16/2012 Septic System Workshop:

- Having the septic tank pumped out annually or biannually is a good investment to protect the life of the leach field. Perhaps \$300 to pump out vs \$15000 to replace a leach field.
- Cess pools are in failure per the state's standard.

## **Septic System Regulation modification discussion:**

- Randy Eifert's modifications per Gary Spaulding's comments were reviewed and discussed.
- Comments from the WWAC were noted.
- Randy and John Edgar will revise the regulation per our discussion.
- This regulation is on the agenda for the Meredith Selectmen's workshop on Sept 17<sup>th</sup>.
- Pat Tarpey reported the Winnipesaukee Watershed Committee is pursuing grants to assist residents financially for septic system evaluations and/or installations.

Meeting was adjourned at 10:14 am.

Minutes submitted by Bob Vogler.

### Next Meeting: Wednesday 9/5/12 at 8:00 AM in the Town Hall Annex.

These minutes were approved as drafted at the 9/5/2012 WWAC meeting.