

# VILLAGE OF HAMBURG ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

## *MINUTES OF MEETING*

*Wednesday, October 10, 2012; 7PM*

*Hamburg Village Hall, 100 Main St., Hamburg, NY 14075*

**Present:**      **Commission Members:** Adrienne Punturiero, Stuart Wheaton, Andy Schrauth, Tom Collins, Dan Riker

**Excused:**      Edwin Drabek, Tim McDonald  
**Village Board Liaison:** Mark Colmeraurer

### **Revised Member Duties**

- Adrienne Punturiero to take over as Chair as Mark Colmeraurer steps down
- Andrew Schrauth to take over job from Adrienne of recording meeting minutes

### **Article in November 2012 Village Newsletter**

- Adrienne Punturiero to develop draft and email to members for comments/revisions

### **Regarding Comprehensive Plan**

- Discussed what groups of information regarding *Quality of Life/Socio Economic* and *Regulatory* issues with which this commission may deal
- Adrienne Punturiero to email ETB Enterprises (Paul J. Becker) the list of these groups of information

### **Tourof the Facilities of Buffalo Recycle**

- Adrienne Punturiero briefly described the tour; Recycling technology is changing so fast that most people are not aware of the many more items are now recyclable
  - All plastic caps are now taken for recycling (should be able to recycle them soon so want to get people in the habit of including them)
  - There is no # needed to be on the plastic item for it to be able to be recycled
  - Any plastic "you can knock on" you can recycle
  - However, even though it can be recycled, plastic silverware and Styrofoam are not to be included in the recycling because it is not yet cost effective

### **Fall 2012 Tree Planting**

- Stuart Wheaton and Tom Collins to contact residents who requested trees to determine if they have a preference for certain trees
- Andy to contact Schichtel's and DPW regarding time frames for ordering bare root trees and planting trees

*Next regularly scheduled meeting is November 14, 2012.*

Respectfully submitted,

  
Andrew Schrauth