



**MINUTES**  
**RUSTIC ROADS ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING**  
**January 23, 2012**  
**Executive Office Building – Rockville**

**Members:**

Bob Goldberg  
Eric Spates  
Marc Miller  
Greg Deaver  
Fred Lechliden

Leslie Saville – MNCPPC non-voting member  
Laura Bradshaw – acting staff coordinator  
Guests: Troy Kimmel, Olney Parents org.

The meeting began at 7:00 PM.

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

**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 of 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 accented agreement to the proposed wording of such correspondence.

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<sup>st</sup> was discussed as well as mitigation solutions. Leslie will bring slides to 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<sup>th</sup> with stakeholders concerned with PEPCO's trimming along Rustic Roads.

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

**Nov. Minutes approved:**