

Great Lakes Regional Water Resources Committee Meeting

February 2, 2010
9:00 am – 11:00 pm

Erie County Conservation District
1927 Wager Road
Erie, PA

DRAFT Meeting Summary

Committee Members in Attendance:

Jerry Allender	Dean Pepicello
Don Benczkowski	Nicholas Mobilia – by phone
Ron Chapman	Nancy Slater
Becky Hosack	Matt Wolford
Craig Kern –by phone	Dave Wright
Sue Moyer	Dave Skellie

Committee Members Not in Attendance:

James Cardman	Judy Bear
Tim Eder	Tom Fuhrman
George Greig	Bill Gough, P.G.
Martha Sherman	Jake Welsh

Others in Attendance:

Brian Zeppenfeld, ECCD
Jay Braund, DEP – by phone
Dave Jostenski, DEP –by phone

The meeting was called order at 9:05. The committee members introduced themselves.

Comments from the Public

There were no comments from the public.

DEP Summary of Activities

Jay Braund reviewed efforts to establish a Water Resource Technical Assistance Center (WRTAC) as required by Act 220. DEP and SRBC are working with the PA Environmental Council to establish the center. PEC is developing a website, a business plan for the Center, and is taking steps to establish non profit incorporation for the center.

Review of CWPA Status and Comments from the Public:

Dave Jostenski provided a summary of comments received on all watersheds including testimony received at public hearings and written comments coming

into the Department. Dave indicated that comments were considered but that Temple Creek still meets the Department's criteria for designation.

Jerry Allender made a motion and Dave Skellie 2nd the motion. All voted in favor of moving Temple Creek forward to the Statewide Committee as a potential CWPA.

Follow-up/Next Steps

Statewide Water Resources Meeting will be held on April 28 at the PFBC. The Technical Subcommittee of the Statewide Water Resource Committee will be meeting on March 26, 2010 at the Rachel Carson State Office Building. No additional Regional meetings have been scheduled for 2010.

Meeting was adjourned at 10:30