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Potomac Water Resource Regional Committee  
January 20, 2004  
Adams County Conservation District, Gettysburg, PA  
Meeting Summary

Attendance

Committee members in attendance

Dr. Evon Barvinchack  
Charles Bennett - Chairperson  
Mark Bream  
Phyllis Chant – Vice Chairperson  
Michael Christopher  
Marlin L. Ewing  
George Fisanich  
Thomas Gratto  
Joseph Hoffman  
Donald MacAskill  
William McLaughlin  
Russell McLucas  
Pat Naugle  
Robert Reichart  
William Reichart  
James Richenderfer, Ph.D., P.G.  
Tim Schaeffer  
Roger Steele  
Mark Mathews

Others in attendance:

Vy Trinh  
Susan Cipperly  
Gil Pringle  
Gil Picarelli  
Greg Hertz  
Scott Alexander  
Erik Hagen  
Kenneth E. Myers

DEP Representatives:

Pam Bishop  
Sue Weaver  
David Jostenski  
Lori Mohr  
Leslie Sarvis  
John Hines  
Dave English

## Handouts

Joseph Hoffman (Interstate Commission on the Potomac River Basin) distributed a General information package. Vy Trinh (Adams County Conservation District Watershed Manager) distributed a power point presentation handout. Map showing counties in Potomac Basin Watershed was distributed.

## Minutes

Motion was made by Mr. Christopher to accept the minutes from the December meeting as written. Motion seconded by Mr. Fisanich, and passed unanimously.

## Public Comment - Marsh Creek Watershed – Gil Pringle, Highland Township Supervisors

Proposed and Recommended Marsh Creek Watershed within Adams County to be considered as a Critical Planning Area. It is a rapidly growing area in which on-lot, municipal water suppliers, and industrial consumers will increasingly compete for available water. The Mason-Dixon Country Club is a proposed development that includes 1200 housing units, a convention center, a restaurant, a clubhouse, a swimming pool, and two golf courses. The development plan estimates that approximately 256,000 gallons of water per day will be necessary to support the activities at this site. Two-thirds of the water will come from Marsh Creek's surface supply, and the remaining one-third will be drawn from groundwater resources.

Roger Steele suggested Mr. Pringle type up and distribute his presentation/comments. Mr. Pringle agreed to do so and it will be appropriately distributed to DEP and the committee members.

## Adams County – Vy Trinh

Discussion of projects that are currently underway in the Adams County portion of the Potomac River Basin.

## Interstate Commission on the Potomac River Basin - Joe Hoffman/Erik Hagen

Discussion on their present work and priorities specific to the Potomac River Basin. Discussed Mission Statement, Basin Issues, Basin Resources, Cooperative water supply operations responsibilities within the Washington Metro Area and the Potomac Basin, Role of ICPRB in PA water resources planning and management.

## New Business

Travel Expenses will be reimbursed by checks for the October/December Meetings. Sue Weaver will be working out an appropriate system for January and future meetings (State employees now get reimbursements sent directly to accounts but this is felt to be inappropriate for non-state employees; so something will be worked out).

### February Meeting

Mr. Bennett said he would like to get a Franklin County Watershed Specialist for the February meeting in Chambersburg in order to review any projects they are working on.

Sue Weaver said next meeting (Chambersburg) materials and directions will be sent out in hard copy mailings.