



Red Hook Village Green
Meeting Minutes – 1/28/2010

Attendees:

Jen Melitski, Brenda Cagle, Sally Dwyer-McNulty

Open the Meeting

The meeting was called to order at 7:10pm

Treasurer's Report

VG Checking acct: \$4164.64 Community Beautification: #8510.4 = \$3212.80 , Shade Tree #8560.4 = \$2721.00

OLD BUSINESS:

- **DEC Grant** - Discussion of DEC grant needs. Jen will drop papers off with Cindy and Lara to get the contract finalized.
- **SWAT Inventory** – The 2nd tree inventory is completed. Brenda is writing up the results and is hoping to have it completed sometime this spring.

NEW BUSINESS:

- **Spring Planting** - Scheduled for May 1, 2010 and will include an Arbor Day celebration. May coordinate planting day with Rhinebeck. We will plan to replace 4 dead cherry trees on Moll Drive, a tree on Park Ave.. We received a request from D. Baxter for a tree on Prince. We will need to transplant 2 trees on Firehouse lane that are too close to the road and straighten a tree at the Lutheran church (the transplant and straightening could be applied toward our grant).
- **Tree City USA** – we will apply for the Tree City for our 8th year.
- **Hardscrabble Day Parade** - Suggestion to do “trees on parade”, there is some interest to make 10-12 costumes. Discussion about cost and amount of volunteer hours available to make trees.
- **Flag Pole** – Village Green will purchase a flag pole to fly “Tree City” Flag.
- **Chamber of Commerce** – contacted Brenda about working with them to beautify the Village. More details soon.

Motion to Close Meeting: The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 pm



Next Meeting:

Our next meeting will be held on Thursday, February 25, 2010, at 7:00 PM at the Village Building.