

**Drainage and Sewer Control Committee**  
**August 6, 2008, 7:00PM, Macedonia City Center**  
**Regular Meeting**

- I. The meeting was called to order at 7:05PM.
- II. **Attendees are as follows:**
  - Members:** Dennis Mulac, Jean Gagne, Cathy Loya, Tom Loya, and Amanda Coon
  - City Representatives:** Jim Crevar (Service Director) and Kelly Luecke (GPD, City Engineer)
  - Others in Attendance:** None
- III. Minutes from the July 16, 2008 meeting were approved pending a date change in the calendar section.
- IV. **Q & A for Residents:** No residents were in attendance, but Dennis discussed an email that he received from Mark Raia, resident at 8504 Oak Tree Lane. Mark has stated that a sinkhole in his yard at the sidewalk has returned. Jim feels that this is being caused by the storm lateral from the resident's home, in which case the homeowner would be required to make the repairs. Jean also noted that he will be repairing a section of his driveway that sank.
- V. **Old Business**
  - A. **CTI Updates:** CTI was not in attendance at this meeting.
  - B. **NEORS Utility (Gene Hill):** Kelly Luecke will be the new contact for the DSCC from GPD. Kelly spoke with Betsy Yingling of NEORS via phone before sending a list of questions. She is waiting for a response. The list of questions was received by members of the committee via email on 8/5/08. It was noted that a city fee and a NEORS fee could legally coexist without overlapping. It was also discussed that perhaps NEORS was faced with so much negative feedback after their first discussions that they decided to file with the courts to force communities to participate.
  - C. **Utility Presentation:** This is on hold. The committee agrees that we need to get answers from NEORS before the city can go forward with plans to finance our current storm water issues.
- VI. **New Business**
  - A. **Water by the Practice Football Field:** There is constant standing water and mosquitoes by the HS practice field. The school cleaned some of the creek, but not all of it. Rosemary is to contact the schools regarding the problem, Dennis will go as well if Rosemary would like.
  - B. **Discussion**
    1. **Residents at the top of Berkshire:** The home on Shepard Rd. cleaned their driveway culvert. Residents on Berkshire (South Side) say that the runoff has been improved during regular rainfall events. Jim advised the committee that the ditch on Shepard Rd. has not been redefined yet.
    2. **Jean Gagne, Sediment:** Jean advised that he is getting a lot of sediment from the OLG runoff. He has to clean a sediment basin monthly to keep up with the problem and protect the rest of his property. It was informally discussed that in order for any action to come about, the residents may have to file a civil suit against the church.
- VII. **Calendar:** 9/3/2008, 7:00PM, Macedonia City Center: Regular Meeting
- VIII. The meeting was adjourned at 8:07PM.