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**Town of Wright - Ag and Farmland Protection Committee
July 23, 2008**

Attendance: Mark Stolzenburg, Karl Westphal, Jeri Murray, John Sanchirico, Vicky McCaffrey, Ed Thornton, Laura Ten Eyck, Lee Pratt, Dottie Wilcox

Review of Minutes from June 25, 2008

Changes to minutes:

First paragraph the name is written as Liz Bradt, change to Brock

Listing of possible interviewees change name from Sineski to Luniewski, Terma to Durma

Move to accept by Karl Westphal, 2nd by Ed Thornton to accept the minutes

Inventory

Dottie reviewed the list of roads that had been turned in so far. Then went back down the list and assigned the remaining roads to members of the committee. All information needs to be sent to Dottie by August 18th. A list of the roads and who is to drive them will be emailed out to the group.

Interview List

Laura passed out the list of possible people to interview that was gathered at the last meeting. A discussion took place as who should be on the first list for with those who will be placed on the second list if someone from the first list declines.

First choice:

Martin Tessarzik	Eugene Mies	Regina Embler
Herbert Mayne	James Bogardus	Fredrick Wellington
Joseph Durma	Thomas Przysiecki	Derrick DeBoor
John/Gary Schultz		

Second List:

William Goblet	William Goodrich	Robert Muller
Richard Gaige	Kevin Kilmer	Alex Luniewski
Raymond Luhrman	John McMichael	Seymour Vanderveen

Letter

- Laura passed out a draft letter to be sent to those who are to be interviewed. The committee reviewed and rewrote certain sections. Laura will finish the draft letter and email it out for final feedback review by the committee. The committee will need to be prompt in replying back to Laura concerning the final draft.

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Once the letter has been finalized Dottie will create stationary with committee members contact information included, have Mark and Sue Loden sign and then mail out to those the committee is wishing to have interviewed.

- A second letter will be sent to individuals on the second list to indicate that they may be contacted to be interviewed. If they are not chosen, they will be then sent a survey questionnaire to be sent back in with there comments.
- A follow up thank you note will be sent to all.

Questions

- Review of the list of questions that Laura passed out at the last meeting was reviewed. A couple of new questions were added to the list and a list of questions that Reta dropped off was also read and will be incorporated into the question bank.
- Added questions at this time: Is there any type of technology or equipment a countywide agency or group could help with? Is there anything the town could do to help you better run your business?

News for the Town Board

The board has appointed Vicky McCaffrey to the Ag and Farmland Protection Board committee. She is an addition to the committee and is not replacing anyone.