## ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION MEETING October 6, 2011 6 PM MUNICIPAL CENTER

## MINUTES

PresentStaffChairman SkelleyClyde DavidsonBo MillsSusan ThrelkeldAlderman PalazzoloJoe NunesBrandy MillerJuanita BellLinda Kaplan

Absent: Dr. Jimmy Davis, Urania Erskine, Moya Fulbright-Dent, David Thorpe, Andy Foster

A quorum was not present. The meeting was officially adjourned.

Discussion Items: Commission members present discussed Amnesty Day logistics and Alderman Palazzolo thanked everyone who participated. Joe explained that some problems arose due to the new trash disposal service being farther away in distance so it took longer to return containers. Also, Shred-It forgot they had us scheduled so they were unable provide as much shredding as we had hoped.

Mulch Day will be October 22<sup>nd</sup>. Joe will try to provide Shred-It during this event to catch those residents who were unable to shred on Amnesty Day.

Discussion ensued about inviting Habitat for Humanity present at the next Amnesty Day and possibly requesting old bikes of residents to be donated.

Mr. Skelley reminded the Commission members to RSVP for the upcoming Commission Dinner.

The Environmental Commission Dinner will be held at Mrs. Threlkeld's home on December 1<sup>st</sup>. A sign-up / I can bring sheet will be distributed at the November meeting.

Brandy and Susan will have their first meeting with schools on tomorrow, October 7<sup>th</sup>.

Joe Nunes reported that not enough recycling carts were ordered because recycling wasn't expected by so many. A total of 200 homes have been impacted by the lack of carts but all carts should be delivered by the first week of November.

Linda Kaplan had EnergyRight TVA Solutions come to her home and investigate energy loss and gave her a report to make repairs. Upon making repairs, a refund will be given for the initial charge of coming out.