City of Blaine Anoka County, Minnesota

10801 Town Square Dr. Blaine MN 55449



Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, July 15, 2014 7:00 PM

Council Chambers

Nat'l Resources Conservation Board

The Natural Resource Conservation Board is an advisory body to the City Council. The Board is charged with recommending acquisition of lands for open space and developing a Natural Resource Plan which includes environmental policy and guidelines for the maintenance and preservation of Blaine's existing and future opens spaces and trail corridors. One of the Board's functions is to hold public meetings and make recommendations to the City Council. For each item, the Board will receive reports prepared by City staff, provide the opportunity for public response, conduct Board discussions and make recommendations. The City Council, however, makes all final decisions on these matters.

The Natural Resources Conservation Board members will conduct a tour of Hidden Ponds Park and Open Space (11465 Polk St.) beginning at 7:00PM. Following the tour, they will adjourn and reconvene at city hall to conduct their regularly scheduled meeting at 8:00PM in the council chambers.

- 1. Call To Order
- 2. Roll Call
- 3. Approval of Minutes

Aprrove the minutes of the June 17, 2014 NRCB meeting

- 4. Approve Agenda
- 5. Open Forum for Citizen Input

Open Forum allows an opportunity for Citizens to address the Board with their park concerns, which are not included on this agenda. Please raise your hand to be recognized by the Chairperson. Step up to the microphone on the left side of the chambers and announce your name and address before you present your comments.

- 6. New Business
- 6.a Discussion on tour of Hidden Ponds Open Space
- 6.b Staff report on Council action regarding Site 7 improvements
- 6.c Update on restoration work at Laddie Lake Park/Open Space
- 6.d Discussion on Aquatore Park trail

Boardmember Truchon

6.e Report on NRCB booth at Blaine Festival

Chair McKinley

- 6.f Blaine well study report and discussion
- 6.g Discussion on roof gardens for proposed community center
- 7. Other Business
- 8. Adjournment