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Meeting
CENTRAL IOWA REGIONAL DRINKING WATER COMMISSION
Executive Committee
Des Moines Water Works Planning Conference Room
June 28, 2012
4:00 p.m.

Present: E.J. Giovannetti, Amy Kahler, David Lindeman, John McCune, Louise Moon, Michelle Sloan

28E Watershed Management Authority Update

In Linda Kinman's absence, Amy Kahler reported efforts related to forming a 28E Watershed Authority are progressing. Dallas County passed the 28E agreement mid-June and was in the process of moving forward with other cities, counties, and Soil and Water Conservation Districts when a citizen who indicated he was representing an ad hoc group called the Iowa Private Lands Council expressed concerns about the agreement language. As a result of this citizen's concerns, the Dallas County Board of Supervisors rescinded their vote on the 28E. The language is being evaluated to see if a change is necessary or warranted, and once clarified, Linda does not believe there will be issues getting signatures. An extension of July 31, 2012 has been granted. The Iowa Flood Center introduced their plans to work with the Watershed Management Authority for the Middle Raccoon River at a press conference in late June.

July Meeting Agenda

The Committee discussed possible agenda items and Louise Moon offered to invite a speaker to address stormwater issues, effective ordinances, best practices, etc.

It was decided that Linda Kinman would provide an update on the Watershed Management Authority, and a representative from DMWW would provide an overview of the results of the 2011 Cost of Service study.

Meeting adjourned at 4:45 p.m.