

**Village of Hainesville
Wetland, Open Space and Woodland Committee
September 5, 2013 Meeting Minutes**

Meeting opened at 7:03 pm at the village hall.

Attendees: Georgeann Duberstein, Trustee and committee chairperson, Barbara Jersey, George Duberstein, Tom Bergonzini, Dave Coulter of Native Restoration Services

The meeting was called to order at 7:07.

Minutes of the July meeting were approved.

Old Business: Another soil sample was sent to a lab specializing in analyses for herbicides. Our soil tested positive for Habitat, the herbicide used to eliminate Phragmites at Deer Point and at the butterfly garden. Dave is working on contacting BASF, the manufacturer, for advice.

The audit indicated that we had \$145,000 left over from the 2012-2013 budget. Now the "freeze" is off.

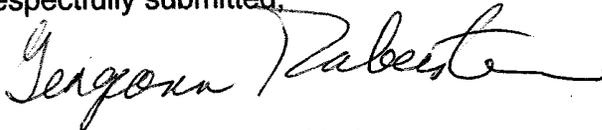
Still haven't gotten approval from the Army Corps of Engineers for the drain pipe for Hainesville Meadow.

We should hear about the Green Region grant on September 15th.

The two river birch trees planted on the west side of the village pond did not leaf out properly. Perricone Nursery gave us two new trees and delivered and planted them at no charge.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:57 pm.

Respectfully submitted,



Georgeann Duberstein, Chairman