

Town of Newbold Outdoor Recreation Committee Meeting Minutes
Meeting with the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources
Wednesday, June 8, 2016 at 9:00 a.m.
Newbold Recreation Area, Ole Lake Road, Rhinelander, WI 54501.

Those present: Pete Cody, Kim Gauthier and Ed Hammer.

Public present: Melissa Yarrington, DNR and Dave Kroll, Town Chairman.

1. Members of the Newbold Outdoor Recreation Committee met Melissa Yarrington, DNR at the recreation area site on Ole Lake Road at 9:00 a.m. The purpose of the meeting was to walk the site with Ms. Yarrington and discuss areas of the project that may need erosion control measures implemented. Pete Cody, Kim Gauthier, Ed Hammer and Melissa Yarrington reviewed the following areas and made notes with GPS cordinance as described.

Ms. Yarrington made the following observances. The parking lot was graveled, as recommended. Stumps pulled from the parking lot were moved to a location on the site up against a large hill in the central open area of the former landfill. Ms. Yarrington indicated this to be a good location for the stumps. Just beyond the parking lot nearing fairway #18 is an area that will need to be seeded.

GPS point #5, 6, 7

Water retention measures recommended for run off onto trail possibly heading to the wetland. Trail retention.

GPS point #8

Newbold desires a boardwalk constructed over this wetland area with standing water. Newbold will continue working with Wendy, DNR for proper placement and materials. Ms. Yarrington recommended stone on this portion of the trail leading up to the boardwalk for erosion control.

GPS point #9

Trail site along a wetland with recommendations for silt fencing about 15 feet along the trail. Also consider cutting the trail into the hill to obtain a flat trail without a slope to the wetland.

GPS point #10

Recommendation to utilize handwork in this sensitive area when creating an upland boardwalk on the trail due to the wetland.

GPS point #11

An area to watch, as a small culvert may be needed for trail runoff.

GPS point #12

Fairway areas upland. Stump grinding on site is a good option. If pulling stumps there may need to be best practice erosion control measures in place.

GPS point #13 (fairway 12)

Recommendation for silt fencing or other erosion control methods to protect the wetland. It was noted that when concrete pads are constructed on fairways, use caution not to wash out concrete equipment in the wetland area.

GPS point #14, 15

Recommendation to use silt fencing to protect the wetland when working here.

GPS point #16

Recommendation to install three water bars on the slope to shed water runoff.

GPS point #17

It was noted that based on the vegetation, this may be a potential wetland area that may need a "sock" to prevent runoff. It was noted this is an incline area with a lot of rock.

GPS point #18

Ms. Yarrington noted this to be a possible ephemeral wetland area which may need erosion control methods.

GPS point #19

(fairway 18) Possible ephemeral area that requires silt fencing.

2. The Committee adjourned at 11:30 a.m.

Submitted by: Kim Gauthier, NORC Secretary