

**Kalamazoo County
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH ADVISORY COUNCIL
January 3, 2007**

Present: Jeff Balkema, Francis Bell, Patrick Krause, Mark Miller, Greg Nichols, Ann Nieuwenhuis, Margaret O'Brien, Dawn Potter-Williams, James Rutherford, Kyle Smith, John Taylor

Environmental Health: Jim Draze, Jeff Reicherts, Tom Dewhirst and Christine Rogers

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION	FOLLOW-UP
1. Citizen Comments	Introduction of new members.		
2. Review of Minutes	Accepted as presented.		
3. Review of Agenda	No changes noted.		
4. Antifreeze Supply and Disposal, Mal Hickok, Recycling Fluid Technologies	Mr. Hickok delivered a presentation about recycling anti-freeze.		
5. 2007 Agenda Items	Jim handed out a list of potential Agenda Topics for 2007. Please check off the items you would like and feel free to add or revise any topics.		
6. 2007 Nominations for Chairperson and Vice Chair person	In February candidates will be nominated for Chairperson and Vice Chairperson. If you have an interest in either position let Jim know and he can get the information to Mr. Bell.		

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7. Member Comments	<p>Ann said that she is fully staffed and every grant that they have applied for has been funded.</p> <p>Margaret said that the sanitary code update will be coming back to the committee in March. Jim said they are at the tail end of the process of reviewing the sanitary code. They are about a year into it and are almost at a consensus with everyone around the table. There will be approximately two more final meetings and then it will be taken to corporate council to get his input. It will then be taken to our planning committee for one more look. It will then come to this group and then be taken to the board of commissioners. Margaret said that it has been a great work group and she hopes that once the product gets here that everyone will be satisfied and happy with all the changes.</p> <p>New members, Bryan Bowne and Jeremy Marr thanked everyone for welcoming them and said that if there is anything they can do to help out to please let them know.</p>		