

Benton County IRVM Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes
Thursday April 24, 2014
Nature Center – Vinton

Committee Members Present:

Ben Bonar	Harold Cassens
Carol Zander	Randy Scheel
Matt Purdy	Calvin Wolter
Ann Jorgensen	Barb Higdon

Meeting called to order at 5:32 pm.

Items discussed:

- **January Minutes:** Scheel motion to approve. Second by Jorgensen. Motion passed.
- **IRVM Update:** Bonar emailed report to committee prior to meeting.
 - Bonar presented an update on what the IRVM program has accomplished since the January meeting
 - Discussed upcoming programs
 - Bonar will email out a list of other potential programs that could be put together for the summer
- **LRTF Grant Discussion:**
 - 2014 grants have been written and will be submitted for review
- **Benton County Secondary Roads Department Newsletter:**
 - Bonar presented an example spring newsletter.
 - Several IRVM articles will be included in the next Benton County Conservation Department newsletter
- **IRVM Management Plan Discussion:**
 - Finalized the Benton County IRVM program mission statement. Motion to approve by Zander. Second by Scheel.
 - Began revising the Benton County IRVM program vision statement.
 - IRVM program goals will be discussed at a later meeting.
- **Tentative Meeting Schedule for the Remainder of 2014:**
 - July 31 @ 5:30 pm
 - October 23 @5:30 pm
- Meeting adjourned at 7:12 pm: Motion to adjourn by Wolter. Second by Scheel