

Safety Committee Minutes Jan. 5, 2011

Chairman Jere Crouse called the September meeting of the Turtle Safety Committee to order at 7:00 pm in the Turtle Community Center.

Roll call was taken with members Jeff London, Gino Casucci, Kathy Lenz, Tim Huffman and Chairman Crouse present. Rich LeFeber represented our police department. Stacy and Les Oldenburg were absent. Ron Splan was also absent. Our Fire Department was represented by Tim Huffman.

Kathy Lenz, seconded by Jeff London, unanimously approved the agenda on a motion.

The minutes of the previous (Sept. 2010) meeting were approved since on a motion by Kathy Lenz and second by Jeff London.

Old Business:

The Police Department report was reviewed by Rich.

There were no citizens present to comment.

New Business:

Due to the excessive cost from Rock County Humane Society, Turtle will have its own dog policy. There will be a report at each Town Board meeting.

All in ground swimming pools must be fenced in. As far as above ground pools, if they are 4.5 feet high no fence is needed but all access to the pool must be guarded. It is important to note that the owner is liable if someone drowns in his/her pool.

Chair Crouse passed out a booklet on "The Changing Use of Outdoor Warning Sirens". The objective will to make warnings come to us through cell phones. Look for this to occur in the future as our sirens become obsolete. The next meeting was scheduled for March but due to the chair's absence did not occur.

The meeting adjourned at 7:45 pm

Respectfully submitted

Jere W. Crouse
Acting Secretary

