

**Minutes of the Saline Sustainability Circle Meeting held Tuesday, August 21, 2007
7:00 pm at Saline Township Hall, 5731 Braun Rd., Saline, Michigan 48176**

1. The meeting was called to order at 7:15 pm by Chairperson Lirones.
2. Present: Carrie DeJohng, Jane Kartje, David Rhoads, Christina Lirones, Joshua Long, Susan Santone, Jeff Krcmarik, Melissa Milton-Pung.
3. Minutes of June 19, 2007 were unavailable, as former Secretary Art Trapp could attend only a portion of the June 19 meeting and was unable to take notes. Chairperson Lirones will prepare minutes from her notes. Motion by Rhoads, supported by Kartje, to postpone approval of the June 19 minutes until the September 18, 2007 meeting. Motion carried.
4. Election of Secretary, due to the departure of former Secretary Art Trapp as the School Board's representative to SSC: There were very few members in attendance, and those present did not wish to accept the nomination for Secretary. The group decided to postpone action until the September 18, 2007 meeting. Motion by Rhoads, supported by DeJohng, to postponed election of a new Secretary until the September 18, 2007 meeting. Motion carried.
5. Presentation by Jeff Krcmarik, County Environmental Services, on the new Environmental Portal on the County's website at www.ewashtenaw.org/ep
6. Presentation by Sue Santone on "Lessons from the Land," a middle/high school curriculum covering issues rooted in land use: ecology, biology, pollution, government, planning, zoning, etc.
7. Presentation by Melissa Milton-Pung, Washtenaw County Senior Preservation Planner, on the County's "Heritage Tourism" project.
8. Meeting Notices: Members noted upcoming events in their communities.
9. Next Meeting Dates and Locations - September 18, 2007, Saline City Municipal Building (Council Chambers): presentation by David Ivans "Can Small Towns Be Cool?"; October 16 at York Township Hall (if York is unavailable due to a meeting of the York ZBA, the meeting will be held at Lodi Township Hall); November 20 at Lodi Township Hall.
10. Motion by Kartje, supported by Rhoads, to adjourn. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 8:54 pm

Respectfully submitted by Christina Lirones, in the absence of a Secretary