

MJRT Exec. Committee meeting minutes
June 19, 2018 8:30 a.m.

Present: Liz Chudoba, Lorne Field, Chris Gyurisin, Betty McCracken

Updates on 2018 projects:

Paint Out Pollution stenciling – Occurred in downtown Lynchburg on April 21. Sixteen outlets were identified and stenciled with art emphasizing the importance of clean water down the drains and the connection to the Bay. Volunteers assisted. Chris is in process of covering the stencils with sealant. He has sent invoice to Lindy for reimbursement. Not all of the grant covered the cost. The city was able to fund the \$400 extra needed to complete the cost. This grant item is complete.

Richmond Festival of the River – not a grant item but good PR for the group. Date was June 9. Olivia, Cynthia and Betty volunteered. Hands on activity involved the making of turtles created out of repurposed egg cartons. It is estimated almost turtles were made by participants, young and old. Ann Jennings, Deputy Sec. Of Natural Resources, came by and had a detailed conversation with Olivia. She would like to be a speaker at our annual meeting. MJRT materials were available as handouts – soil test vouchers, JR activity sheets, colored media flyers, coasters, etc. Continued use of these materials is a grant deliverable.

Pet Waste Stations – Lindy is pricing her grant line item to have ready for the beginning of the school year. She has requested 2 to install at 2 Henrico schools.

Next Steering committee meeting – Chris is to send out a doodle poll as soon as he can check his conference room schedule.