

CARROLL COUNTY FOCUS ON THE FUTURE
July 21, 2011 – Flora Library

Present: Janet Ayres, Lynn Corson, Ann Brown, Joe O'Donnell, Al Jackson, Al Auffart

The meeting was called to order at 7:05 p.m.

The Chair passed out a list of new Board members.

Minutes of the previous meeting were reviewed and approved.

The Chair led a discussion of details related to the upcoming forums on potential changes to township government. Communication to the public will include direct mailings, distribution of flyers at various public events, posting of flyers in various towns, and notifications to other service organizations.

The formats for the second forum were discussed and three speakers will be confirmed.

A draft letter inviting the existing Trustees was reviewed. Invitations will be sent to Township Trustees and their Boards, the County Commissioners, the County Council and past participants in Leadership Carroll County. The Comet will publicize the event and letters to the editor will be used to draw attention to the forums

There was some discussion about alternative speakers in the event one of the scheduled speakers cannot attend.

A second flyer will be prepared to publicize the second forum but will likely have more limited distribution.

Various committee members are arranging refreshments, pie charts and other visuals, and copies of maps detailing the various Township boundaries.

In other business, Lynn Corson reported that the Savor Indiana programming featuring Carroll County is now available on the web.

The Chair noted that the renewal of the web-site hosting contract is due. The Board approved renewal of the contract.

The next meeting was tentatively scheduled for August 17, 2011 at 7:00 at the Flora Library.

Al Auffart
Secretary