Joyfield Township Planning Commission Minutes

January 31, 2013

- 1) Call to order @7:02pm
- 2) Roll Call all committee members were present. John from Lakes to Land was absent however, Tamera from Beckett & Raeder filled in.
- 3) Approval of Agenda. Motion by Wood, second by Krueger. Motion carried.
- 4) No public participation on agenda items.
- 5) Approval of minutes from December 11, 2012. Minutes were read aloud. Motion to accept minutes by Kreuger, second by M. Evans. Motion carried.
- 6) Unfinished business
 - a) <u>Master Plan Goals</u>: Continued discussion was had on each of the 7 Cornerstone goals. Tamera assisted with questions and took notes to pass onto John for further revisions. Anticipation of further revisions and discussion at the February meeting.
 - b) <u>Current Land Use Map</u>: A draft copy of the entire current land use map was presented. This is only a draft copy and will need further revisions. The committee decided to take some time to look over the draft, make revisions and get those to Betsy by Feb. 20th. Betsy will pass those revisions onto John so Beckett and Raeder can make the corrections on the large map. Further discussion and revisions will be made at the February meeting.
- 7) New Business
 - a) Joyfield Ag. Community Session. It was decided that an Joyfield Ag community session much like the one Blaine township conducted would be beneficial for the planning commission. The date was set for Tuesday March 12th (however, this has been changed to Thursday March 7th because of a scheduling conflict at the hall). Discussion was had on how to inform the Ag community. Personal invitations seem to be more appropriate for this situation. However, a mailer would be a good mass communication. Betsy and Tamara are checking with Beckett & Raeder to see if they would create a postcard for this mailing. The February meeting would be used to set up the organization for this meeting. Preliminary thoughts included: 2 large table groups separated by Joyfield property owners and visitors, a series of questions would be asked mainly revolving around the idea: "What do you need to be successful". A few broad questions may be more beneficial than a multiple of narrow questions.
- 8) Public participation public comment was heard.
- 9) Adjournment @ 8:14pm. Motion by Wood, second by M. Evans. Motion carried.