

ROUND LAKE PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES
WEDNESDAY, January 13, 2021

CALL TO ORDER

A meeting of the Town of Round Lake Plan Commission was held virtually on 1/13/21. The meeting was called to order at 6:09 pm by Ann Berlage, with Sarah Gunn as secretary.

ATTENDEES

MEMBERS PRESENT: Sarah Gunn, Don Stover, Ann Berlage, Steve Boe, Denise Picchetti, Jen Welzin, & Kay Wilson
AUDIENCE: 0

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Motion to approve agenda: Don Stover
2nd: Denise Picchetti

APPROVAL OF MINUTES for December 9, 2020, REGULAR MEETING

Motion: Jen Welzin
2nd: Denise Picchetti

AUDIENCE RECOGNITION - Comments Only

None

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION: VARIANCE APPLICATION #20-002

Motion to approve the adjustment of addition: Denise Picchetti
2nd: Don Stover

BOARD MEETING REPORT

- CAFO ordinance study: thank you for your continued share of information
- Bike safety signage proposal: will contact DOT
- Dark Skies education: will continue to spread communication
- ATV/UTV resolution development status: on January Board agenda
- Broadband improvement: have not checked with CARES Act at this time
Ann reported to the Board and received a follow-up letter from the Town Chair.

FOLLOW UP: PROPOSED "BUNKHOUSE" ORDINANCE BY ZONING

Has passed in its entirety at the last Zoning Meeting

DISCUSSION: CAFO ORDINANCE DEVELOPMENT UPDATE

WI Towns Association - wisctowns.com
Socially Responsible Agricultural Project - SRAproject.org
Midwest Environmental Advocates - Midwestadvocates.org
Ann has contacted these programs to see about legal counsel with moving forward in setting up a CAFO ordinance. Ann will contact Rolfe to add the CAFO ordinance to the agenda.

DISCUSSION & STATUS OF “GOALS & OBJECTIVES”

Bike Routes/Paths: Town Chair will contact DOT about the effectiveness of signage.

Dark Skies/Lighting: The building inspector stated the energy code is passed out to all new building permits. Denise will check in with Zoning to find out what literature is passed out to property owners in the Town of Round Lake.

Billboards: will take off the agenda for now

Future Land Use Map: The County is in the process of updating its Land Use maps.

Sarah has volunteered to work with the Town Board committee in order to make sure our maps are using the same land legend.

Economic Development: no discussion

Broadband Improvements: Discussion of how best to move this forward in order to take advantage of any grant opportunities i.e. CARES Act.

Ag/Natural Resources: Discussion of the article: “Confronting CAFOs through Local Control” by John Ikera.

STATUS OF EDUCATION SERIES WEB TRAINING MATERIAL AVAILABILITY

No materials are available at this time.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

Future Land Use Map Committee

NEXT TOWN OF ROUND LAKE PLAN COMMISSION MEETING

February 10 at 6:00 pm. - virtual

MEETING ADJOURNED at 7:46 pm

Motion: Don Stover

2nd: Denise Picchetti

Respectfully submitted by Sarah Gunn