



PORTAGE COUNTY

MEETING MINUTES

PLANNING AND ZONING COMMITTEE

PORTAGE COUNTY ANNEX
CONFERENCE ROOM 5
1462 STRONGS AVENUE
STEVENS POINT, WI 54481

Tuesday, October 24, 2023

5:00 PM

REMOTE ATTENDANCE & COMMENT

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CALL TO ORDER

The Planning and Zoning Committee meeting was called to order at 5:00 PM.

Members Present: Larry Raikowski, Barry Jacowski, Julie Morrow, Mike Splinter, and Pat Keller

Staff Attending: Chris Mrdutt and Amy Heins

Attending In-Person: John Pavelski - County Executive

PUBLIC NOTICE

Members of the public who wish to address the Committee on specific agenda items must register their request at this time, with such comments subject to the reasonable control of the Committee Chair as set forth in Robert's Rules of Order.

CORRESPONDENCE

Discussion regarding right-of-way designation on certified survey maps. The Committee would like to review County Ordinances against State Statute for a possible update in the future.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Approval of September 26, 2023 Minutes

A motion was made by Larry Raikowski, seconded by Barry Jacowski, to approve. Motion to approve passed by voice vote, with no negative votes.

DISCUSSION/POSSIBLE ACTION

2. Discussion/Possible Action - Approving and Authorizing a Cooperative Service Agreement Between Portage County, The Wisconsin Department Of Natural Resources, and The United States Department of Agriculture Animal Plant Health Inspection Service Wildlife Services

A motion was made by Barry Jacowski, seconded by Mike Splinter, to approve. Motion to approve passed by voice vote, with no negative votes.

3. Discussion/Possible Action Re: Special Meeting Attendance (Portage County Ordinance 3.1.47 & 3.1.48)
 - Request for special meeting attendance
 - Approval of attendance of special meetings
 - Special meeting attendance reports

REPORTS

4. County Comprehensive Plan

The next meeting is set for Thursday, November 9, 2023 at 2:00 PM.

Other Reports:

- Mrdutt expressed interest in amending the C4 Highway Commercial Zoning District to allow kennels. The reasoning being there is

interest from an individual who currently does business with the Portage County Sheriff's Department and Humane Society. This district currently allows for businesses that are much louder than a kennel would be, i.e. automobile repair, contractor storage, lumber yards, etc. Committee agreed.

NEXT MEETING DATE

The next standard meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, November 28, 2023 at 5:00 PM, in Conference Room 5.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Mike Splinter, seconded by Barry Jacowski, to adjourn. Motion carried by voice vote. Meeting adjourned at 5:27 PM.