



Village of Hewitt

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Planning committee meeting minutes held on Feb 18, 2010

The meeting was called to order 7:00 PM.

In attendance = Members Jeff Graves, Eric Jakobi, Kris Hawley, Marlene Stueland, and Ken Eilers. Guests: Alan Schiferl and Jason Grueneberg

- Public input = None
- Old Business

Smart Growth Planning

Jason with Wood Cty Planning & Zoning attended the Feb. 18th meeting as a guest speaker for Smart Growth Planning.

The state Comprehensive Planning Law in affect applies to all municipalities with Zoning regulations. A plan should contain the following elements: • Issues and Opportunities • Housing • Transportation • Utilities and Community Facilities • Agricultural, Natural and Cultural Resources • Economic Development • Intergovernmental Cooperation • Land Use and • Implementation. The plan should be designed to be consistent with current zoning and zoning should support the plan.

Jason had indicated Wood County is available for hire, to assist in the plan development or grant application writing. The Village may apply for a grant to assist in the costs associated with the plan development.

Key points on starting the plan are to: • Develop a time line • Contact other municipalities for suggestions • Survey the Village residents on their interests • Establish if a Grant will be essential and Determine if and what outside services may be necessary.

During the Development of the plan, the State has (14) goals as described in s. 16.965(4) of Wisconsin Statutes which should be addressed.

Parking

Discussion on the Village Board action taking during the Feb. 9th Board meeting. The proposal sent to the Village Board for action per the Jan 26th Planning Committee recommendation, did not receive Board approval. The Planning Committee will re-examine the parking at the next meeting to better formulate a plan and a new recommendation for parking on Village of Hewitt streets.

- New Business = None

Meeting adjourned @ 9:00