

Planning Commission Board Meeting
1508 W 11th St, Mio MI 48647

Official Minutes

For Tuesday August 13th, 2019

A. CALL TO ORDER: Blair called the meeting to order at 5:00 pm

B. ROLL CALL: Dave Yoder, Late, Bob Hoffman, present, Ryan Blair, Present, Ron Bruner, Present, Rob Murphy, Present, Jerry Kunnath, Present, Commissioner Liaison Kyle Yoder, Present

C. INVOCATION &/OR PLEDGE

D. APPROVAL OF AGENDA: Kunnath/Hoffman make a motion to accept the Agenda for tonight's August 13th, 2019 meeting.

YES 5 NO 0 Motion Carried.

E. Approval of minutes for July 9th, July 22nd, 2019 meetings. Kunnath/Hoffman make a motion to accept minutes.

YES 5 NO 0 Motion Carried.

F. Commissioner Liaison Update: Commissioner Yoder advised the BOC has approved changes with the new government building. Yoder stated some rooms were moved and a change was made to the Clerk's Office. The cost was around \$3,000 plus materials. Insurance made a buyout proposal. The county will not accept the insurance's offer. Yoder stated they will make a counter offer with consideration from an attorney. Yoder advised Wolgast is working well with the BOC. Kyle Yoder and Tom McCauley are putting together a recycling research team. Jerry Kunnath was appointed a liaison for the recycling research team.

G. Public Matters and Comments: -None

H. Special Guest: Casey Pullum from the DNR spoke with the board. Pullum stated Oscoda County is a Recreation County. Pullum stated people come to this county for the trail system, hunting and fishing. Pullum it is hard to get a bear permit in this county. Pullum stated the bait ban has not really affected the hunters in this area. Pullum stated about 80% of the blinds they check have bait. Pullum stated they had a few cases of TB in this county. Pullum stated USDA is managing the deer population in the county. Pullum stated hunters are declining. Pullum advised Ausable River is trophy waters. Pullum stated anglers are very compliant in this county. Pullum advised issues on the river are declining.

I. Master Plan: Members discussed how recreation plays a big part in the master plan. Members reviewed the progress of the Master Plan.

J. Misc: Murphy reminded the planning commission that he had responded to the Greenwood Townships ordinance review and the letter was sent.

J D Yoder/Hoffman made a motion to adjourn

4 YES NO 0 (Blair excused)

Next meeting will be at the Tri Town Fire Hall September 10th, 2019 at 5:00 p.m