



PLANNING COMMISSION
MEETING
SEPTEMBER 10, 2019
7:00 PM
MINUTES

1. CALL TO ORDER:

Commissioner Cruger called the Planning Commission meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

2. FLAG SALUTE:

Commissioner Cruger led the Planning Commission, Staff and Audience in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

3. ROLL CALL:

Planning Commission
Commissioner Frederick Cruger – Present
Commissioner Ron Stephenson – Present
Commissioner Scott Morrison – Absent
Commissioner Julie Cory-Wyman – Present
Commissioner Monica Hoersting – Present

City Staff
Darla Reese, City Clerk

Consultants
Ryan C. Larsen, Consultant Planner

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A. Approval of August 13, 2019 Minutes

Commissioner Stephenson moved to approve the minutes of August 13, 2019. Commissioner Cory-Wyman seconded. Motion carried.

5. PUBLIC COMMENTS/RECOGNITION OF VISITORS – NON ACTION ITEMS

No one was present to speak during this portion of the meeting.

7. CURRENT BUSINESS

A. Introduction of New Planning Commissioner Monica Hoersting

Commissioner Hoersting introduced herself to the Planning Commission.

6. NEW BUSINESS

A. 2020 Comprehensive Plan and Development Regulations Docket Update – Development Regulation Administrative Process Discussion

Consultant Planner Larsen presented a copy of a letter to Puget Sound Regional Council-Snohomish County Tomorrow, regarding Snohomish County Tomorrow comments on the July 19, 2019 Draft VISION 2050 plan.

He asked the Planning Commission to review the letter and let him know if they have any questions.

Consultant Planner Larsen reviewed parts of Granite Falls Municipal Code Chapter 19.04 and explained the current issues with processing applications.

The City of Stanwood Municipal Code Chapter 17.81A and 17.81B and the City of Lake Stevens Municipal Code Chapter 14.16C were used as examples for the process in how the revised code should be modeled after.

The Planning Commission reviewed the proposed sections and changes in question with Consultant Planner Larsen.

Planning Commission to further review the existing code sections and proposed new chapters from the two cities and be prepared to discuss at the next meeting.

7. REPORTS:

A. City Clerk Reports

There were no questions on the City Clerk Report.

B. Homework

There were no homework items for discussion.

8. CORRESPONDENCE:

Commissioner Cruger mentioned the receipt of a letter from Nate Nehring acknowledging a letter that went to him, Ken Klein and Terry Ryan. A letter was written to the three gentlemen from Mayor Hartman and Fred Cruger regarding the bridge replacement project and not removing the old bridge. Both Nate Nehring and Ken Klein seemed favorable to the idea.

9. ADJOURNMENT:

Commissioner Cruger adjourned the meeting.