

Town of Bell Planning Commission Meeting Minutes
August 9, 2018

Meeting was called to order at 6:00 PM

Present: Janice Olson, Larry Chernoff, Jackie Eid, Greg Weiss

The committee recognized that Pete Lamb has passed away; he will be greatly missed with his unique input with the commission.

Minutes: Larry made a motion to approve minutes from July 5 meeting, Jackie 2nd. Passed unanimously.

Updates/Correspondence:

Nancy Moye wrote an email in response for volunteers for committee members to review and update the current comprehensive plan saying she would volunteer.

Comprehensive Plan Survey renewal 2019 Volunteer:

Per the Town of Bell July meeting minutes Janice had spoken to Jason from Northwest Regional Planning commission in Spooner that represents seven counties in the region and explained how they go about surveys and results they receive. A brief discussion followed. A goal would be to have the survey completed by December 2018 or at least by the 2019 annual meeting. Janice is still searching for committee volunteers. She asked if any of the current planning commissioners would be interested. Larry said he would not, Jackie would respond at a later date and Greg would be available starting October. An additional meeting each month will be necessary to complete the process.

Review Comprehensive plan for detail updates:

There was a brief discussion about some elements of the current plan and that the Economic Development Committee had never been formed; how daily tourist traffic is increasing and putting additional stress on roads, garbage and public toilets. It was agreed that the discussion would continue at the next planning commission meeting. Janice also mentioned that a new planning commissioner will need to be appointed by the town board to replace Peter Lamb.

Jackie made a motion to adjourn and Larry 2ND. All were in favor. The meeting was adjourned at 7:00 PM. Next planning Commission meeting will be September 6.