

Patrick County Planning Commission Meeting

Minutes of September 21, 2021

Present: Larry Cowley, Vice Chairman, Richard Hazlewood, Kurt Bozenmayer and David Lusk members of the Planning Commission; Jane Fulk, Board of Supervisor Liaison

Also Present: Teresa McCormick, Clerk, Cynthia Cowley, Andy Shelton

Absent: Mike Helms

Larry Cowley, Vice- Chairman called the meeting order.

A motion was asked for an approval of the agenda and minutes.

A motion was made by Jane Fulk to approve the Agenda as presented; seconded by Richard Hazelwood and carried unanimously by all voting members present.

Voting Yes: Larry Cowley, Richard Hazlewood, Kurt Bozenmayer, David Lusk and Jane Fulk

Voting No:

Abstaining:

Absent: Mike Helms

A motion was made by Jane Fulk to approve the July 20, 2021, August 10, 2021 Minutes and September 8, 2021 Public Hearing; seconded by David Lusk and carried unanimously by all voting members present.

Voting Yes: Larry Cowley, Richard Hazlewood, Kurt Bozenmayer, David Lusk and Jane Fulk

Abstaining:

Absent: Mike Helms

NEW BUSINESS:

Kurt Bozenmayer has ask for the August 24, 2021 Planning Commission work session minutes to be typed for approval. Teresa McCormick, Clerk will have these minutes at the October meeting. Edits of each section(s) completed by the Planning Commission will then be emailed by to Joe Bonanno.

Larry Cowley stated that Joe Bonanno and Mike Armbrister wants to meet with Gerri Hazelwood, County Administrator with concerns they have on the Comprehensive Plan changes

from the Planning Commission. Larry Cowley stated that Joe Bonanno has not approached the Planning Commission with his concerns.

Public Hearing on Goals & Objectives will be scheduled for October 13, 2021 at 6:30 p.m. to be advertised in the Enterprise under Legal Notice and Community Calendar, WHEO Radio Station. Kurt Bozenmayer and David Lusk will take care of advertising on Facebook.

Andy Shelton stated the Planning Commission needs to be very careful with social media. Andy Shelton asked why the Agenda is not on social media. Kurt Bozenmayer stated the meeting we are discussing is for public input for updates to the Comprehensive Plan, which will be advertised in the newspaper, radio and Facebook.

Andy Shelton stated the Board of Supervisors does all their work in executive session without public representation. Jane Fulk stated anyone can get a copy of the Board of Supervisors agenda in the Administration's office prior to the meeting and know the topics that are being discussed before the public and what will be in executive session. Andy Shelton stated that Jane Fulk and the board members were lying regarding the discussions going into executive session. Jane Fulk stated the agenda will tell you why the Board of Supervisors are going into executive session to discuss personnel and salaries.

Kurt Bozenmayer stated it's a point of Law under the Code of Virginia that certain things the Board of Supervisors are not allowed to discuss in public until they have decided.

Teresa McCormick will speak with Joe Bonanno in getting his updates on the Comprehensive Plan for a work session/business meeting October 19, 2021 starting at 1 p.m.

Jane Fulk stated once we agree on the changes in each section(s) these can be emailed back to Joe Bonanno to complete.

Kurt Bozenmayer stated the Comprehensive Plan needs three things:

- What is used to be
- What it is today
- What we want 5 years from now

Jane Fulk stated if someone wants the history of Patrick County they can revert back to the 1998 Comprehensive Plan.

OLD BUSINESS:

Larry Cowley asked for a motion to adjourn. A motion was made by Jane Fulk to close the meeting; seconded by David Lusk and carried unanimously by all voting members present.

Voting Yes: Larry Cowley, Richard Hazelwood, Kurt Bozenmayer, David Lusk and Jane Fulk

Voting No: N/A

Abstaining: N/A

Absent: Mike Helms

The next Planning Commission work session/meeting has been set for October 19, 2021.

Larry Cowley, Vice-Chairman