

Planning Commission
Lynden Township
Stearns County
State of Minnesota

Minutes

Location: Lynden Township Hall
21367 County Road 44
Clearwater, MN 55320

Date / Time: 15th of July, 2013 at 6p.m.

Those in attendance were Planning Commission Chairman Brian Nickolauson, Planning Administrator James Kantor, Planning Commissioners Greg Halverson, Gary Stang, Supervisors Anne Ackerman, Jerry Finch and Dave Johnson, Stearns County Environmental Service Representatives Jennifer Buckentine and Becky Schlorf. Nickolauson called the meeting to order at 6:05 p.m.

Minutes from the August 27th, 2012 meeting was reviewed. Halverson made a motion to approve the minutes, seconded by Ackerman. All in favor, motion passed.

The Planning Commission discussed with Stearns County Environmental Service the changes made to Stearns County Ordinance #439 to allow small animals in residential zoning and how it relates to Lynden Township Ordinance #7. Lynden Township will work with Stearns County to amend our ordinance.

Discussed changes to parking in different areas in the township. We have received many complaints in regards to different areas and discussed how to rectify the problem.

Nickolauson made a motion to recommend to the Board of Supervisors to amend Ordinance #7 allowing chickens and Ordinance #4 for parking control as discussed, seconded by Stang. All in favor, motion passed.

Discussed the Stearns County recreational vehicle / dwelling standards according to Stearns County ordinances, Lynden Township ordinance and Minnesota building code.

Stang made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:09 p.m., Halverson seconded. All in favor, motion passed.

Respectfully Submitted,

James Kantor
Lynden Township Planning Administrator