

REGULAR MEETING of The Conneaut Planning Commission – March 28, 2023 at 6:30PM in Council Chambers

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Roll call: Rebecca Gaugh, Mindy Notte, Jan Church, Jennifer Simpson

Also present was Molly Turnes – Housing & Zoning Manager

Diana Spencer entered the meeting.

APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES

Ms. Church moved to approve the meeting minutes of September 27, 2022 and October 25, 2022, seconded by Ms. Notte. Roll call: Rebecca Gaugh, Diana Spencer, Mindy Notte, Jan Church and Jennifer Simpson – yea. No – none. Meeting minutes approved.

MOTION TO CHANGE AGENDA

Ms. Spencer moved to change the agenda, seconded by Ms. Church. Roll call: Rebecca Gaugh, Diana Spencer, Mindy Notte, Jan Church and Jennifer Simpson – yea. No – none. Motion passed.

Mr. Gerdes will not be present until 7:00PM.

Ms. Gaugh provided each member with a printout concerning monarch butterflies. Ms. Gaugh mentioned removing “milkweed” as a noxious weed in the City ordinances, but added that the commission does not cover Chapter 1377. Ms. Gaugh provided an explanation of the project and the importance of monarchs. City Council adopted the Mayors’ Monarch pledge and Councilmember Mr. Gaugh is spearheading the project with other organizations in the City. A brief discussion was held between members.

The Commission then spoke about their bylaws. Ms. Gaugh noted one change – the meetings are on the fourth Tuesday, not the first Tuesday. (Later in the meeting, it was added that this had been previously corrected and did not need to be addressed)

The Commission discussed meeting times and moved meetings to 7:00PM.

Ms. Notte moved to approve the bylaws, as amended, seconded by Ms. Ms. Spencer. Roll call: Rebecca Gaugh, Diana Spencer, Mindy Notte, Jan Church and Jennifer Simpson – yea. No – none. Motion passed.

Mr. Gerdes entered the meeting around 7:10PM.

Ms. Spencer nominated Rebecca Gaugh as Chairperson, seconded by Ms. Notte. Ms. Gaugh accepted the nomination.

Ms. Spencer nominated Mindy Notte as Vice Chairperson, seconded by Ms. Church. Ms. Notte accepted the nomination.

In the matter of nominating Rebecca Gaugh as Chairperson: Roll call: yea - Diana Spencer, Mindy Notte, Jan Church, Jennifer Simpson and Scott Gerdes. No – none. Abstain – Rebecca Gaugh.

In the matter of nominating Mindy Notte as Vice Chairperson: Roll call: yea – Rebecca Gaugh, Diana Spencer, Jan Church, Jennifer Simpson and Scott Gerdes. No – none. Abstain – Mindy Notte.

NEW BUSINESS

There was no new business to discuss.

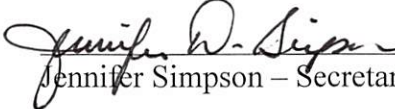
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There was no old business to discuss.

Ms. Notte moved to adjourn, seconded by Ms. Spencer. Meeting adjourned at 7:20PM



Rebecca Gaugh – Chairperson



Jennifer Simpson – Secretary