

Planning Commission Agenda
Tuesday, July 11th, 2017 ~ 5:30 p.m.
City Hall

1. Call to Order
2. Adopt/Amend agenda
3. Approve Minutes – 5.9.2017 Regular Meeting (No quorum at June 13th Mtg.)
4. Public Hearing
 - A.
5. Old Business
 - A. Zoning Code Review
 - B.
6. New Business
 - A.
 - B.
 - C.
7. Other
8. Adjourn

Please call 732-7318 if you are unable to attend.

**City of Zumbrota
Planning Commission Regular Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, July 11, 2017 - 5:30 P.M. City Hall**

Present: Chairman Rockne, Commissioners Todd Hammel, Roberta Callahan, Bev Weness and Richard Myran. Absent: Betty Jo Grothe. Also Present: Community Development Director Dan King.

- 1. Chairman Rockne called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.**
- 2. Agenda: Motion Myran, second Hammel to approve the agenda as submitted. Carried 5-0-0**
- 3. Minutes: Motion Hammel, second Weness to approve the minutes from the May 9, 2017 meeting as submitted. Carried 5-0-0**
- 5. Old Business**

A. Zoning Code Review – Dog Regulations

Members reviewed research staff provided about neighboring communities and the number of dogs that are allowed; specifically:

- Goodhue and Wanamingo have no restrictions
- Lake City allows up to 4 dogs
- Pine Island allows up to 3
- Cannon Falls limited to 2 dogs

It was noted the League of MN Cities states MN Statutes are very broad on the ability of cities to limit the amount of dogs residents can keep in residential districts. Members discussed the issue, noting that some dog owners have 3 animals and they are well behaved, yards are clean and they don't bark excessively. Other residents have only 1 dog and they can be a nuisance. After further discussion members directed staff to draft language limiting dog ownership in Zumbrota to no more than three.

6. New Business

There being no further business, Chairman Rockne adjourned the meeting at 6:02 p.m.
Respectfully Submitted,

Dan King, Secretary