

Republic Township Planning Commission
Regular Meeting, November 13, 2023

1. Call to Order, Vice Chairman Irene Dishno at 7:00 pm
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Roll Call: F. Haslip, DW. Harold, S. Christian, I. Dishno, J.Kraft
4. Approval of Agenda: Motion by I. Dishno, 2nd J. Kraft, motion passed
5. Approval of October 9, 2023 minutes with addendum: Motion by I. Dishno, 2nd by F. Haslip, motion passed
6. Public Comment: none
7. Reports
 - A) Township Board Report – Frank H
 1. Put on hold Short Term Rentals, County and State looking into.
 2. State took away Electrical, anything to do with environmental or infrastructure, it is out of our hands.
 3. Gas line, made it thru the House has gone thru the discussion and waiting to put it on a bill.
8. Old Business
 - A) Master Plan –
 1. S. Christian working on it and it's almost done.
 2. Water is the only thing that needs to be done.
 3. February 1 is the date the Master Plan has to be done.
 4. Community Input – questions did not go into the newsletter.
 - a) 20-40 yr old, More recreation
 - b) 40-60 yr old, Animal sanctuary
 - c) 60-on up, Medical clinic, industry, nicer view from the cemetery
 - B) Recreation Plan
 1. It is being worked on to be finalized.
 2. Rock Solid Trail – waiting on the Concept plan
 - C) Conditional Use permit
7. New Business:
 1. Pamphlets
 - a) Forestry/water/wetlands

- b) Dropped Educational Marijuana
 - c) Vacation/Destination
 - d) Historical Area
 - e) Solar/Wind Power
8. Commission Members Reports
No comment
9. Public Comment:
- 1. Is there an ordinance to be able to have a business in your home?
 - 2. We need young people to come in, recreation, internet.
10. Next Meeting: December 11, 2023, 7pm
11. Adjourn: Motion to adjourn at 8.16pm by J. Kraft, F. Haslip 2nd, motion passed

Deborah Harold – Secretary

Deborah Harold

Date: ***11/18/2023***