Menominee County Planning Commission
S904 U.S. Highway 41 Stephenson, MI 49887
Planning Commission Minutes
February 27, 2017

The Menominee County Planning Commission meeting was called to order at 5:00 PM CST by Chair Lillian Schultz at the Lake Township Hall in Stephenson, MI with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call: Present: Bill Anderson, Bob Desjarlais, Charlene Peterson, Gary Scholtz, Lillian Schultz. Excused: Terry Proos. Absent: County Commissioner Steve Gromala. Quorum was present to conduct business. Richard Sexton, County EMC was also in attendance.

Approval of Agenda: Motion by to approve by B. Anderson; support by B. Desjarlais. Motion carried.

Approval of Previous Minutes: Motion by B. Desjarlalis to approve regular minutes of October 24, 2016 meetings; support by B. Anderson. Motion carried.

Public Comment: none present

Old Business:

A) Regulations concerning Medical Marihuana according to the February MTA Focus magazine are being left to the Township local units to determine how they are to be dealt with in each township. Enforcement is a large issue. IF the unit takes NO ACTION – all facilities would remain unlawful. Nothing is in effect until December 15, 2017.

B) Discussion of how to get information funneled to the County Planning Commission in order to keep all potential projects on the radar to see how each factors into the overall County Master Plan. Communication such as notification from the Menominee County EDC to the County Planning Commission with reference to potential new industry or projects should be mandatory to keep the channels of information flowing in a cooperative effort to increase business opportunities throughout the county.

New Business:

A) Gary Scholtz shared some information about zoning items at airport. No action taken.
B) No other new business was presented.

Next Meeting Date: **Monday, _____2017.** (to be called as needed)

Adjournment: Motion by Bob Desjarlais to adjourn, support by B.Anderson. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 5:57 pm.

Minutes Submitted by:

Charlene Peterson

Charlene Peterson, Secretary
Menominee County Planning Commission

Approved 6-26-17