

Minutes of Hiles Planning Committee

February 7, 2017

6:30 p.m.

Hiles Town Hall

Meeting called to order: by Mark Ferris at 6:30 p.m. A sign in sheet was provided for all in attendance.

In attendance: Mark Ferris, Julia Ferris, Don Strand, Barb Strand, Kirk Mueller, Bob Binter

Approval of minutes: Motion made by Barb Strand to approve the minutes of January 17, 2017 meeting, seconded by Don Strand; minutes approved.

Announcements:

- Mark announced he has accepted position as Executive Director for Forest County Economic Development Partnership. He noted it is a part-time position and is intended to be interim in nature

Old Business:

- LED sign has arrived and will be installed as weather permits.
- Scenic Byway project has received state approval. Next step will involve meetings at county level. Steve Nelson, UW Extension Agent is working on an Android App that will help in promoting the Byway.
- Directional 'wayfinder' signs are awaiting D.O.T. approval.

New Business

- Committee began discussions on Hiles 10 Year Comprehensive Plan. Discussion focused on the protocol for making possible amendments and recommendations to be forwarded to Town Board. This will be a continuing process. Mark will be talking to representative from North Central Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission to be sure proper process is followed.

Other

- Discussion on speed limits on Hwy. 32 and Pine Lake Rd.

Motion to Adjourn: Barb Strand motioned to adjourn at 7:50 p.m.

Submitted by Julia Ferris