Holt County Planning and Zoning Commission

Public Hearing/Regular Meeting Agenda

October 12th, 2023 - 7:00 PM

Holt County Annex meeting room

128 North 6th Street

O'Neill, NE 68763

Public Hearing on Solar regulations for Holt County Comprehensive Zoning Plan

- 1. Open public hearing
- 2. Public comment
- 3. Close Public hearing

Regular Meeting

- 1. Statement of Advertisement and Open Meeting Law Posting
- 2. Call Meeting to Order
- 3. Roll Call
 - a. Add new member of commission.
- 4. Approve the agenda.
- 5. Approve the minutes of the September 7, 2023, regular meeting.
- 6. Public Comment

Old Business:

- 1. Set for Public Hearing Randall & Tara North Conservation easement.
- 2. Comprehensive Plan Solar language
 - a. Restate setback related to residences.
 - Approve previous change to 500 ft radius tree barrier from any residence adjacent to a solar project. Allow waiver provision from developer and residence owner.
 - b. Requirements to include in language.
 - i. Glare
 - ii. Noise
 - iii. Hazard waste disposal
 - iv. Time frame for clean up after decommissioning.
- 3. Other proposed changes in the solar regulations.
- 4. Approve solar language into the comprehensive plan with changes in section 1,2, and 3 above.
- 5. Grace Coleman Items
 - a. Eminent Domain Resolution
 - b. Conservation Easement information

New Business:

1. Request a draft of what Marvin Associates have prepared for the Comprehensive plan to date.

- a. We have paid them about \$18,000 to date and no one seems to have any hard copy of anything. Total bill was supposed to be \$37,000. Completion date was tentatively September 2023.
- 2. Status of the overlay district legal issues
- 3. Update on Fall NPNZ Conference. Zoom meeting on October 13th 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM. Recording will be made available to commission members who cannot be on the call.
 - a. Planning Fundamentals
 - b. Findings of Fact
 - c. CSA's
 - d. New Issues in Planning and Zoning
 - e. Tax Increment Financing
 - f. Housing Issues in Nebraska
- 7. Discuss filling the Board of Adjustment.
 - a. One member of the planning commission.
 - b. One member within the county.
 - c. One alternate member.
- 8. Next Meeting /Public Hearing Date
 - a. Town halls
 - i. November 9th
 - ii. December 7th
- 9. Next regular meeting
- 10. Adjourn

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