

LAND INFORMATION / ZONING COMMITTEE MINUTES

May 3, 2018

Chairman Willingham called the meeting of the Rusk County Zoning/Land Information Committee to order at 6:00 P.M. in the Law Enforcement Center in the Rusk County Government Center. Members present were David Willingham, Bill McBain, Mark Schmitt, Phil Schneider, and Kathy Vacho. Staff present: CeCe Tesky, Carol Johnson, and Yvonne Johnson.

Nominations for Chairman. Schmitt nominated Willingham. Called three times of other nominations. Motion by Schmitt/Schneider to close nominations and cast a unanimous ballot for Willingham as Chairman. Motion carried.

Nominations for Vice-Chair. Schneider nominated Schmitt. Called three times of other nominations. Motion by Schneider/McBain to close nominations and cast a unanimous ballot for Schmit as Vice-Chair. Motion carried.

RFP opening: Carol Johnson was present and reviewed the issues with the current imaging program. Opened the proposals. Two received. Heartland and Fidlar. The information will be given to Ted East to review and make a recommendation at the meeting on May 8.

Chairman Willingham recessed to zoning meeting to relocate to the Rusk County Library. Reconvened the meeting at 7:00 P.M. at the Rusk County Library.

This meeting was scheduled to invite the townships to share ideas and concerns with the Zoning Committee. Committee members, staff and those in attendance were introduced. Tesky gave a presentation which covered the history and purpose of zoning.

Willingham asked for comments and concerns from those in attendance. Bob DeVoe spoke in regard to campers versus cabins being utilized on private property. He would like to see camper permits sunset after a number of years. He expressed concerns about tiny homes and cabins being allowed in campgrounds.

Mary Jane Nelson had questions about the UDC building permits.

Richard Brand asked about campgrounds costs permit year. It was explained that is regulated by Public Health.

John Moore said he has had complaints about the yearly fee on campers.

General discussion followed. There being no further comments, Chairman Willingham adjourned the meeting at 8:45 P.M.

Yvonne Johnson
Assistant Zoning Administrator