

Royalton Planning Commission

APPROVED – Minutes

Monday, October 13, 2008

Members Attending:

Boles, Brandau, Goldstein, Judge, Levasseur

Guest Attending:

Kira Bryers (Note Taker)

Meeting came to order at 7:05 PM.

1. Minutes from September 22, 2008 Meeting

- Changes to draft minutes discussed
- Change in date of the next meeting from October 6, 2008 to October 13, 2008
- Page 2: Change to “Academy Building in the Village of Royalton”
- Bottom of page: strike “hearing is free”
- Page 3: Change from “Josh Smith” to “Joseph Smith”
- Strike “RPC in the past”
- Strike Judge’s name off of environmental impact concerns and change to “committee expressed environmental concerns”

Brandau moved to accept as corrected, Goldstein seconds. All in favor. Motion carries as accepted.

2. Act 250 Applications

- Proposed addition to the Tower on Gee Hill discussed
 - Existing tower and the project calls for collocation. There is a big difference between building a new tower and improving an existing one
 - Brandau asked about how much more capacity the tower will have as the Telecommunication Acts call for competition
 - Discussion ensued about telecommunication in the area
 - Levasseur asked if there were any more questions for Centerline Communications about the project – Brandau stated that he would ask Centerline for more specifics about the project

3. Current Events

- Food & Fuel Plan Event will be held on October 14, 2008 at the South Royalton School at 7 PM → the event will discuss “heating and feeding Vermont this winter”
- Levasseur explained the discussion at the last Select Board meeting – typo and format issues in the Royalton Planning Commission bylaws were discussed. Style of indents changed to no tab and back to an indent
→ Levasseur asked if anyone had any issues with the indentation. None were expressed.
- Select Board wants to go to a three-year term. Levasseur stated that the only way to achieve this change in a reasonable way is to start at the 2011 Reappointments because if started any sooner, the reappointments would result in some members with three-year terms and others with four
→ Brandau moved to make the change and Judge seconded. All in favor. Motion carries.

4. Next Meeting

The next RPC meeting will be held on October 27, 2008.

MEETING ADJOURNMENT:

Judge moved to adjourn and Goldstein seconded the motion. All in favor. Meeting adjourned at 7:27 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

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