

August 10, 2016

The Planning & Zoning Commission for the City of Okoboji, Iowa met in session on the above date at 5:00 P.M. in the Okoboji City Hall. Commission members present were: Pearson, Grant, Marousek, Mendenhall, and Shuttleworth. Others present were: Dave Stein, Brad Beck, Lissa Ballis, Phil Pedersen and Neil Slater.

Chairman Pearson called the meeting to order at 5:00 P.M. stating the purpose of the meeting was to consider/discuss the following as it relates to lakeshore landscape permits for the City of Okoboji: Criteria, Requirements, Procedure, Amendments to the Zoning Ordinance and Scheduling of future meetings.

Grant/Marousek moved to approve the minutes of the previous meeting on 7/20/16. All ayes. Motion carried.

City Attorney David Stein gave an overview of the City Council Meeting on 8/9/16 as it related to the Lakeshore Landscape Permit Moratorium the evening before. Pearson asked if the moratorium was generally accepted by community residents in which Stein agreed those who spoke were in favor.

Mendenhall and Shuttleworth put together a rough draft which the committee started reading through starting with Section 7.8, Landscaping Property, Definitions and Prohibited Acts. There was a robust discussion with input from committee members and those in attendance. Revisions were made throughout each section reviewed. This draft continues to be a work in progress.

The commission set the next meeting date for August 24, 2016 to continue working on an updated lakeshore landscape permit ordinance

Grant/Marousek moved to adjourn. All ayes. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 6:17 P.M.

Lissa Ballis
Deputy City Clerk