

Village of Bear Lake Planning Commission  
July 12, 2016  
Village Hall  
Approved Minutes with correction (CMC 8/17, 2016)

Meeting called to order at 5:07p by Chairperson, Farfsing

Pledge of Allegiance was said by all.

**Roll Call:** Barb Farfsing, Chairperson, Cindi McPherson, Secretary, and Jeff Bair

**Adoption of agenda:** Motion was made by Thomas to adopt the agenda, seconded by McPherson, approved by all, motion carried

**Approval of minutes:** Motion was made by Thomas to approve the minutes from June 7, 2016 seconded by Johnson, approved by all, motion carried.

**Recognition of visitors:** Liz & Don Raiff

**Visitor comment:**

**Old Business:**

- US-31 Corridor – Farfsing updated on how the meeting showed examples of what was displayed to vote on at the meeting.
- Garage Sale Ordinance and Blight Ordinance – Thomas and McPherson reported on their research from of the villages/cities on what they use. Don Raiff will check on what the results of the Leckrone outcome is.
- Kayak/Canoe launch -Waiting for MacCarthy decision on property where the launch may go. The first application process was missed, will make time one. Jeff Bair will follow up.
- Fishing pier – application will be sent in April for Hopkins Park. Pat Bently working on design & location.
- Rec Plan update – Jackie Griffith will be the volunteer for trail developer within local government.
- McPherson and Farfsing reported on PlacePOP, good turn out and ideas to look into.

Rec Plan – No report

**New Business:**

- # Love Bear Lake formerly “Taking Bear Lake Back” – where community members can put positive things on facebook.
- Tier Deck – looking for ideas on usage for the deck.
- Arcadia flower gardens & painted bicycles – Farfsing report that Arcadia has old painted bikes around the village flower garden areas. What could Bear Lake do? Painted sailboats, chairs or bears??? Ideas needed.
- The Review – McPherson displayed articles of what other communities have done to beautify their community. The Review July/August 2016

- McPherson asked if Planning Commission could be paid quarterly instead of monthly. It was decided to be paid quarterly.
- Discussion on Blight Enforcement Officer. No out come.

Public Comments

Next meeting; August 9, 2016, 2016 at Bear Lake Village Hall @ 5pm

Adjourned at 6:37pm

Respectfully submitted by Cindi McPherson