

**WAKESHMA TOWNSHIP  
PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES  
MONDAY, JUNE 13, 2011 7:00 PM**

The Planning Commission meeting was called to order at 7:11 PM by Chairperson Deming.

Present: Jim Deming, Jerry Hamelink, Supervisor Doug Byas, Barbara Thole  
Absent: Ed Woodhams, Delbert Burr

A motion was made by Hamelink to approve May 9, 2011 minutes. It was supported by Deming. The motion was approved.

Supervisor Byas addressed the Planning Commission. He spoke regarding the Michigan Zoning & Enabling Act of 2006, specifically Page 17, Paragraphs 33-06 - 33-08. These sections address public hearings for zoning ordinances submitted to the township board by the planning commission.

It was tentatively decided to submit language for a public hearing to the township board at the July 2011 meeting, schedule a public hearing on the date of the August 2011 planning commission meeting, and submit a formal recommendation to the township board for the September 2011 meeting. The subject of the hearing is to redefine the residential zone (R1 and R4) and create a commercial zone (C1) within the village of Fulton. It would be recommended to repeal Ordinance #22 and replace with the new ordinance.

A motion was made by Deming and supported by Hamelink to adjourn.. The motion was approved. The meeting adjourned at 8:16 PM.

Respectfully submitted by:

Barbara Thole  
Secretary for Planning Commission