

Monterey Township Planning Commission Minutes  
Regular Meeting – Monday, February 8, 2010 - 7:00 P.M.  
Monterey Township Hall

Call to Order: At 6:59 P.M. by Chairman Kerber

Roll Call: All members present

Approve Agenda: Agenda approved

Approve Minutes: Minutes for January 11, 2010 were approved

Public Comment: Again a group of about 50 visitors was present to address their concerns, both for and against the installation of a wind farm in Monterey Township. Members of The Citizens for Responsible Green Energy took most of the time objecting to all facets of the project being proposed; even after hand serving a demanding, threatening letter to commission members the weekend before February 8.

Because all of the time was used by the group no action could be taken on revising the Wind Ordinance. Monterey's Zoning Planner, Ken Dettloff, who was also in attendance, was instructed to make recommendations addressing a list of concerns presented by the above group.

Mr. Dettloff explained conflict of interest and the law making Wind Energy a legal land use.

Motion: Motion by Richmond, Supported by Kerber to **recommend to the Township Board that they** NOT except any SUP's for Wine Turbines until the Wind Ordinance review is completed. Collier, Kerber, & Richmond all Ayes; Johnson & Knobloch Abstained. Motion Carried. **Corrected March 24, 2010.**

Unfinished Business: Updating Wind Energy Ordinance  
Planning Book Table of Contents to be continued  
List Township Assets not addressed

Next Meeting: A work meeting is scheduled for February 22, 2010, at 7:00 P.M.,  
The Township Hall.

Meeting Adjourned: At 8:43 P.M. by Chairman Kerber

Submitted By: Karon Knobloch, Secretary