

## **MOWER COUNTY PLANNING DEPARTMENT**

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September 22, 1992

### Minutes of the Mower County Planning Commission Comprehensive Plan Public Hearing

Chair Hanson convened the evening public hearing of the Comprehensive Plan at the Mill Inn in Dexter, Minnesota on Tuesday, September 22, 1992 at 7:00 p.m.

Chair Hanson introduced members of the Planning Commission who were present: Herb Hanson, Meri Jo Lonergan, Keith Voorhees, Gary Nemitz.

Chair Hanson informed the people that this was our second public hearing and was pleased that so many people were at the meeting.

Chair Hanson requested comments. He also stated that the Mower County Planning Commission would be receiving written comments until October 20 at the Planning Office. The Planning Commission would then review these comments at their October 27 meeting.

He then called upon Fred Hoisington. Fred Hoisington gave background information to the group on the planning process.

Art Peck stated that he noticed that there should be a larger urban expansion area in the area of County State Aide Highway 28 and 218 which would coincide with other previous plans. This would be looked at.

Don Barnes, Ag. Extension Weed Inspector, stated that the County is looking at a possible collection of plastic fertilizer containers in the further.

The meeting adjourned at 7:57 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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Chair Hanson introduced Oliver Hillier and Greta Kraushaar from the Planning Commission and Fred Hoisington from Hoisington Group, Inc.

Chair Hanson welcomed everyone to the meeting and requested they make their comments. He also stated that the Mower County Planning Commission would be receiving comments until October 20 at the Planning Office. The Planning Commission would then review these comments at their October 27 meeting.

Chair Hanson then called upon Fred Hoisington who proceeded to give background information on the Comprehensive Plan. The meeting was then opened for comments.

1. A concern was raised that currently the farm community is not able to dispose of their plastic containers at the recycling center. Something should be done to allow this to take place.
2. Feedlots should not be regulated out of existence.
3. Doug Myers, Superintendent of Austin Public Schools, spoke on the lack of housing opportunities in Mower County.
4. A question was raised on the increasing minority population.

The meeting adjourned at 3:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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