

AGENDA

KANKAKEE COUNTY REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION LAND USE/TRANSPORTATION SUBCOMMITTEE

**THURSDAY, MARCH 12, 2009 @ 9:30 A.M.
(METRO Centre, Bourbonnais)**

1. Open Meeting – Rich Howell, Chairman
2. Public Comment
3. Approval of Minutes of January 22, 2009 Meeting
4. Old Business
 - A. Extended Discussion
 - Greenways and Trails Plan – Mr. Skimerhorn/Mr. Bergdahl
 - American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (Economic Stimulus package) – Mr. Lammey
 - Wind Farm Status – Mr. Skimerhorn
 - B. Project Updates
 - Long-Range Transportation Plan – Mr. Lammey
 - Discussion of Zoning Reduction Project – Mr. Skimerhorn
 - Joint Land Management Resource Plan Adoptions – Mr. Skimerhorn
 - Traffic Crash Reporting – Mr. Lammey
 - LESA – Chairman Howell
5. Other Business
6. Next Scheduled Meeting
 - May 14, 2009 @ 9:30 A.M. @ METRO Centre
 - June 4, 2009 @ 9:30 A.M. @ County Administration Building, 2nd Floor
 - July 23, 2009 @ 9:30 A.M. @ METRO Centre
 - August 20, 2009 @ 9:30 A.M. @ County Administration Building, 2nd Floor
 - October 15, 2009 @ 9:30 A.M. @ County Administration Building, 2nd Floor
 - December 17, 2009 @ 9:30 A.M. @ County Administration Building, 2nd Floor
7. Adjournment

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2009 Work Program Topics Not Yet Addressed

- Minimum Lot Area
- Pembroke Township Comprehensive Plan
- Lack of Industrially Ready Properties
- Issues Related to Public Act 095-0175
- East-West Access Issues
- Commuter Transit Options to Connect with Chicago
- Transportation Brochure, Volume 2
- Airport Work Program
- Assist in Transportation Plans
- Education Seminars

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2009 WORK PROGRAM – LAND USE/TRANSPORTATION SUBCOMMITTEE

1. Implementation of the 2005 Kankakee County Comprehensive Plan.
 - a. Seek adoption of supportive municipal resolutions for County Land Use Plan. (Adopted: Chebanse, Irwin, Manteno, Momence, Sun River Terrace, Limestone, Bradley, Grant Park, Buckingham).
 - b. Promote the adoption of Joint Land Resource Management Plans. Work with municipalities and townships to update their plans to ensure consistency with the County Land Use Plan (Adopted: Bourbonnais, Herscher, and Manteno).
2. Maintain and adopt Kankakee County Future Land Use Map.
3. Prepare a report to determine if the minimum lot area for farm dwellings is adequate as regulated in the Kankakee County Zoning Ordinance.
4. Update Land Evaluation and Site Assessment (LESA).
 - a. Prepare update, host workshops, and recommend revisions to County Board.
 - b. Host workshop to educate users and elected officials on LESA Program changes.
5. Monitor Progress of the Pembroke/Hopkins Park Comprehensive Plan.
6. Prepare a report addressing the lack of industrially ready properties.
7. Prepare a report to reduce the over-supply of properties zoned residential, industrial and commercial.
8. Educate Subcommittee on legislation addressing the loss of County land use and zoning powers removed by Public Act 095-0175.
9. Produce Long Range Transportation Plan Update.
 - a. Planning session with Land Use/Transportation Subcommittee
 - b. Citizen's advisory committee
 - c. Draft Report by June, 2009
 - d. Final Report by October, 2009
10. East-West Access Issues.
 - a. Write report on truck issues
 - b. Convene forum on truck issues and intermodal impacts on Kankakee County
 - c. Pursue Critical Commerce and Communications Corridor
 - i. Monitor and assist Illiana Expressway Study
 - d. Pursue 6000 N. Road Corridor
 - i. Monitor 6000 N. Road Interchange Study
 - ii. Land Use/Transportation/Economic Development Issues for Area
 - iii. Initiate 1 implementation measure recommended in the 6000 N. Road/Warner Bridge Road Corridor Study
 - iv. Develop report to identify funding options (public, private, public/private)
11. Pursue Commuter Transit Options to Connect with the Greater Chicago Area.
 - a. Monitor Metra extension to Peotone
 - b. Monitor other ring-around-the-collar counties' progress with commuter options
 - c. Arrange for speakers on subject
12. Develop GIS Comprehensive Accident Recording System for Kankakee County.
 - a. Complete coding of 2004 accidents

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- b. Complete scanning of 2004 accident reports
 - c. Develop 2004 accident summary report
 - d. Develop 2004 GIS location map
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13. Transportation Brochure.
- a. Produce Volume 2 by September, 2009
14. Bicycle Issues.
- a. Update Greenways and Trails Plan
 - b. Partner with Community Foundation on Riverfront Trail
 - c. Produce Guidance for Trail Development (standards for Multi-modal trails)
15. Continue Airport Work Program.
- a. Members of Subcommittee become involved in Airport meetings
 - b. Collect and disseminate information/act as County clearinghouse for information
16. Assist in Transportation Plans.
- a. Partner with communities who are updating Transportation Plans
17. Continue to Sponsor Education Seminars for RPC Members and for other Community Groups.

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