

Summary of the bi-monthly meeting of the Town of Gnesen was held on Monday, December 26, 2016, at the Gnesen Town Hall.

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 p.m. by Chair George Franckowiak. Motion to approve the agenda was moved by Supervisor Dave Opack, second by Chair Franckowiak and unanimously approved. Supervisor Opack made a motion to suspend the agenda to consider the Conditional Use Permit for Suzie's Greenhouse, Chair Franckowiak second the motion, board approved. The Planning & Zoning Board held a Conditional Use Public Hearing to hear Jody and Susan Bellefeuille's request to operate a greenhouse business on their property on the Normanna Road and the P&Z Board recommended approval with conditions. Supervisor Opack made a motion, second by Chair Franckowiak to approve the CUP with the conditions imposed at the Hearing.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

P&Z matter-Nothing to report.

Community Development Block Grant-Clerk reported we received an email with the presentation schedules. Gnesen is scheduled for January 4 and January 11<sup>th</sup> to make our presentation. Supervisor Nelson will attend and make the presentation.

Crescent Road turnaround-Supervisor Opack contacted the property owners and he was given permission to cut the trees that St. Louis County was concerned about when they do the snowplowing. Supervisor Opack and Tom Haller cut the trees down. Supervisor Opack stated that we will need another load of gravel put on the turnaround in the spring.

Emergency Plan-The Town Clerk put an article in the Gnesen Newspaper asking for volunteers to work on an emergency plan and Chair Franckowiak set up the first meeting for January 23<sup>rd</sup> during our regular Town Board Meeting at 8:00 p.m.

Reminder-Annual Town Election-March 14<sup>th</sup>. Candidate filing is January 3-17<sup>th</sup>.

Logging on Church Road-Clerk received a call from a resident who voiced a concern about logging truck on the Church Road. Clerk contacted the logging company about the concern.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

Weed inspector-We received an email from Solway Town Clerk asking if we have hired a Weed Inspector and if they could share the inspector we hired. The Town Board is still looking into this matter.

Musolf Road-Supervisor Opack asked Gary Juten to look at the Musolf Road for some ditching that needs to be done. Supervisor Opack stated that St. Louis County was going to steam the culvert on Musolf Road.

**CORRESPONDENCE:**

St. Louis County Association of Townships Meeting Minutes.

No further business, the meeting adjourned at 8:40 p.m. with a motion by Supervisor Opack, second by Chair Franckowiak. No objections, meeting adjourned. (This meeting was taped for transcribing purposes only.)