

MINUTES OF THE TOWN OF WASHINGTON  
PLAN COMMISSION MEETING  
January 12, 2022, 5:00 PM

Members Present: Amy Alpine, Dustin Hurtgen, Bob Solberg, Karen Tomesh

Town Staff Present: None

County Staff Present: None

Members/Staff Absent: Greg Fahrman, Andy Madson

**1 Approve Minutes of the December 8, 2021 Plan Commission Meeting**

Motion by Comm'r Hurtgen and seconded by Comm'r Solberg to approve the minutes from October 6, 2021. Motion passes 4-0

**2 Wind Energy Review and Discussion**

**a. Atty. Richard Schaumberg introduction**

Shared with the Board his past involvement with wind energy, his research and work with other municipalities

Discussed abiding by WI PSA 128, having good appendix, studying the issue and defending an ordinance; look to the Town Comprehensive Plan.

Consider what the intention of a licensing ordinance is and whether it will hold up to a lawsuit.

Commission members asked questions.

**b. Review Town options as it relates to wind energy**

Commission members asked questions regarding Town options and/or following County ordinance.

**c. Review Town Resident informational resources**

Commission members discussed the upcoming informational meeting in February.

**4 Next meeting February 9, 2022**

**6 Adjournment**

Comm'r Alpine moved to adjourn; meeting adjourned at 6:08 p.m.

Attendance: Richard Schaumberg