

Brady Township
Planning Commission Meeting
November 2nd, 2023

Meeting called to order by chairman Mike Thiel at 7:00pm.

Pledge of allegiance by all present.

Roll call: present- Don Somers, Michelle Loos, Mike Thiel , Glen Reeves, Jeff Roy.
absent-Jim Gray.

Public present- Steve Kienitz, and 4 citizens.

Minutes from June 5th 2023 read by Planning Commission members present.

Motion to accept June 5th, 2023 minutes by Glen Reeves, seconded by Jeff Roy.
All in favor. Motion passed.

Minutes from August 3rd 2023 reviewed verbally by Jeff Roy. Stated will bring
typed minutes to next meeting.

Motion to accept August 3rd 2023 minutes by by Glen Reeves, seconded by Don
Somers. All in favor. Motion passed.

Public comment- Steve Kienitz spoke on appreciating the zoning board members
for sticking with the process through rough times. Steve voiced disappointment
on board members not taking advantage of training paid by the township. One
board member took advantage of the training. Steve asking the board if anyone
was stepping down. Mike Thiel is stepping down as of January 2024. Steve
stated that the township board will be up for reelection in 2024. Steve spoke on
the needs of the fire department for funding and how to raise money with
fundraisers stating that this was done in the past. Steve spoke on legislation
recently passed by the state on solar farms-green energy. Vote may be on the
ballot in November on this issue.

Old Business: None

New business: Need to update the master plan with current census data. Need
for updated mining ordinance and address road damage with fees. Fees would

be addressed at township level with a possible fee per yard mined. Question if there is a limit on size of mining? Board to review natural resource extraction for pond use. Statement that a resident called on interest in opening an event barn.

Motion to review and update master plan at next meeting by Glen Reeves, seconded by Michelle Loos. All in favor. Motion passed.

Dates proposed for 2024 planning commission meetings: February 8th 2024, May 2nd 2024, August 15th 2024 (due to board members vacations), and November 7th 2024.

Motion to accept meeting dates for 2024 by Glen Reeves, seconded by Jeff Roy. All in favor. Motion passed.

Motion to adjourn by Glen Reeves, seconded by Michelle Loos. All in favor. Motion passed.

**Respectfully Submitted by Michelle Loos
Planning Committee Secretary**