AMSTERDAM/CHURCHILL PLANNING GROUP

Minutes of 10/10/11

ATTENDEES: Brendon Beyers, Walt Sales, Cindy Elliot, Warren Vaughn, Tim Van Dam

BUSINESS:

-Introductions and rumor mill

-Quorum was met: Yes

-Excused absence: Gail Weidenaar

-Minutes approved for: Minutes from the last meeting will be handed out at the next meeting.

-Committee reports: Treasurer- No activity reported.

Sidewalk- Warren and Ann sent in the Gilhousen Grant for \$7000. We hopefully will hear back from them soon. Marilyn Day has agreed to help contact cement contractors for donations. Gary Kamps at MCS will be helping do a sidewalk fund raiser at the school. Tim will follow up on that. Dave and Tim met w/MCRC Building and Grounds and gave them a proposal for the sidewalk fund, should know in early December. Tim has contacted Bethel CRC and will do a proposal there also at their next meeting. Tim will contact the Auction Committee at MCS and see if we can auction some sidewalk on Oct. 28. MCS did have a "Walk to School" in early October. Warren to follow up with those involved at the school.

Sewer/Water- Warren to let Jim Potts know about our upcoming meetings and ask for input for the newsletter.

Newletter: Ann S is helping to set up a newsletter that will be on line. Discussed ways to let the public know about the site and what should be in the newsletter. Some suggestions were meeting dates, sidewalk info, The Plan, Safe Routes to School info, sewer update and community school activities.

Discussion on target date for zoning adoption hearings: We are ready to present the Town Core and Rural regulations to the community. The commissioners want one plan proposal of the Town Core and Rural Area. The Rural Com. to reunite and review what has been proposed. Walt and Brent to set meetings. Town Core to have a minimum of 2 meetings for the public. We are going to try to have this done by Feb 10 2012.

Tentative meeting dates and time line

Nov 8, 7pm at the bank

Dec 6, 7 pm at the bank

Jan 10, 2012 7pm at the bank

Jan 24, 2012 7pm community meeting

Feb 2, 2012 7pm community meeting

Feb,2012 present The Plan to Planning Board

March, 2012 present The Plan to Commisioners

NEXT MEETING: Nov 8, 7pm at the bank MEETING ADJOURNED

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Letter

Newsletter - Friday

Sidewalk Letter Friday before Thanksgiving