

# **Leighton Township Planning Commission Minutes**

Date: November 12, 2008

Members Present: Al Zuidema, Scott Chestnut, Louis Murray, Harry DeHaan,  
Ron Schrotenboer, Dave Wright

Members Absent: Brian Martin

Others Present: Mark Sisson (Township Planner)

**Art. 1 Chairman Zuidema** called a Regular Meeting of the Leighton Township Planning Commission to order at 7:30 pm at the Leighton Township Hall.

**Art. 2 Minutes –**  
Minutes of the October 8, 2008 were approved as presented.

**Art. 3 Public Comments – None**

**Art. 4 Inquiry of Conflict – None**

**Art. 5 Public Hearing – None**

**Art. 6 New Business –**

**a. Ramifications of new Planning Statute**

Mark Sisson presented the Board with a draft of the new By-laws for the Planning Commission. There was a new Planning Statute passed by the state in Sept 2008, which will have to be incorporated into the by-laws of the Leighton Planning Commission. This will include:

- . Appointments
- . Master Plan
- . Annual Report – Capital Improvements

- b. Letter from Gaines Township – New Master Plan Update
- c. Letter from Wayland Township – Draft of Future Land Use
- d. Planning Commission to discuss Wayland Township Draft of Future Land Use  
- December Planning Commission Agenda

**Art 7. Unfinished Business –None**

**Art. 8 Other Business – None**

**Art. 9 Public Comments – None**

**Art.10 Commissioners Comments – None**

Meeting adjourned at 9:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Shari Harmon, Recording Secretary  
Leighton Township Planning Commission