Town of Veazie Planning Board Meeting Minutes

15 November 2011

Call to Order: 7:02 PM at Fletcher Municipal Building Council Chambers

<u>Present</u>: Board members C. Cronan (Chair), S. Malis-Andersen, K. Carr (arrived 7:02 after call-to-order), K. Tableman; C. Osgood (assoc. mbr.) and J. Manter (recorder of minutes); T. Russell (Town Attorney – left after 7:30 PM).

<u>Minutes</u>: 25 October – moved to accept as presented: C. Cronan; seconded: S.Malis-Andersen; voted: 5-0.

1) Revisions to the Land Use Ordinance: Discussion of Amendments to Open Space Requirements Sections & Reset Public Hearing.

- C. Cronan –Sec. 15.05.11.14.10.02. preferences for 15% reduction of Open Space requirements;
- J.Manter same Sec. "shall" instead of "will";
- T. Russell Density requirements leave out of new draft already included
- 3 -tier Review "required to correct errors..." to "...with the exception of revisions to correct minor errors on a site plan for an approved subdivision"
 - not include stricken words on final draft
- "unsuitable for development" not defined; changed to "indicating a clear delineation of land areas that do not meet the definition of buildable or developable area;
 - "net residential acreage" stricken not to be underlined.
- C. Cronan to make revisions. A publicity piece will be crafted among the Board Members and a public hearing date set. Chm. Cronan thanked Atty. Russell.

2) Comprehensive Plan Update: Summary of Comprehensive Plan Status and Layout for Future Action.

- J. Manter distributed copies of the Summary Report on the Comprehensive Plan and noted –
- organization of this document
- R. Freeman's document on the Comprehensive Plan
- expiration of Complan certification date of 7 March 2014 by the State Planning Office
- data to be made available
- Comprehensive Planning process outline
- recommendations on goal statement discussions.

Board members discussed these following -

- examination of goals
- time frames involved
- need for Comprehensive Plan copies for recent members
- updated survey of Town residents.

3) Next Meeting.

Next Planning Board meeting is scheduled for 13 December. These items to be taken up-

- Public Hearing on Land Use Ordinance amendments
- Organization for Goals Statements discussion for the updated Comprehensive Plan
- Re-Survey of the Town public.

Other Business

.Members noted the need to initiate a discussion among citizens of appropriate development for the Town.

Adjourned: 7:51 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Manley

J Manter

Moved: G. Malis-Awdersen Seconded: C. Cronan

Voted: 5-0