

Town of Romulus Planning Board Meeting
March 7, 2011

Kate Sinicropi, Chair	Present	Sue Ellen Balluff	Present
Tom Bouchard, Vice Chair	Present	Bill Karlsen	Present
Cindy Meckley	Present	Dan Brodnicki	Present
Harriet Haynes	Present		

Chair, Kate Sinicropi, called the monthly meeting of the Town of Romulus Planning Board to order at 7:10 P.M. with roll call, pledge of allegiance, and a moment of silence.

Tom Bouchard made the motion to accept February 7, 2011 meeting minutes as read, seconded by Sue Ellen Balluff. Motion carried.

Barbara Johnston with Stuart I. Brown Consulting sent copies of the press release going out to the Finger Lakes Times, Ovid Gazette, Weekly Shopper and Tri-Village Pennysaver. Copies of the postcard reminder to farmland owners were also included. She also stated that the advisory group was to meet no more than three to four times.

Other new business included Chair Kate Sinicropi speaking with Bob Aronson with the Seneca County Industrial Development Agency. Specifically, Depot re-development and keeping communications current with our planning board, as re-use develops. He also mentioned actually meeting with us soon on wind power of development and feasibility project coming soon. A 2005 IDA Depot Master Plan was handed out and reviewed for information.

In other new business, Chair Kate Sinicropi asked Harriet Haynes of the county planning board, who was in attendance, who owns the proposed Veterans Cemetery at Sampson? She spoke that the county is owner.

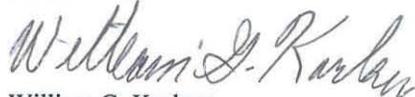
Concerns about recent war protests in the news and the showing of disrespect at private funerals have raised the question, being the Supreme Court upheld the right to protest, if the town or county could set a minimum distance that protestors could approach active funeral services. Both Tom Bouchard and Kate Sinicropi to address the full town board at their next meeting.

Old Business: Tom Bouchard reported a docks and moorings update that a roll call vote was taken with all five members voting no to have Supervisor David Kaiser sign contract for the state grant. End results are docks and moorings grant is dead. Planning board to still work on issue to apply use and regulation guidelines through local zoning laws. Chair Kate Sinicropi will follow up with David Hayes, Zoning Officer.

Two possibilities for open seat on board. Peter Arena of Traders Village and Larry Yehle from Blue Heron Beach area.

8:20 P.M. Sue Ellen Balluff made motion to adjourn, seconded by Cindy Meckley. Motion carried. Next meeting April 4, 2011.

Respectfully,



William G. Karlsen