

TOWN OF ROMULUS COMPREHENSIVE PLAN SUBCOMMITTEE MINUTES

MARCH 19, 2019

Present: Mary Joslyn; Bill Karlsen; Earl Martin; Daryl Martin; Darren Burkholder; Bryan Burkholder; Ken Battle; Wayne Rowland; Tom Bouchard; Peter Arena; Leon Burkholder

Informational session opened at 7 PM by Subcommittee Chair Tom Bouchard.

TOPIC FOCUS: *Review Mission Statement, Preface, History and Demographics*

ACTIONS:

- **Briefly discussed content for a Visioning Statement. Two goals would be to increase the tax base and to improve the appearance of the town and hamlets.**
- **Tom summarized discussion with Harriet Haynes, Seneca County Senior Planner, regarding getting accurate demographic information. She suggested the GFLRPC web site, as well as American Fact Finder.census.com. Noted that the prison population at Five Points increases the overall population of the town. Discussed getting an accurate number of Amish families and the number of summer or seasonal residences.**
- **Looked at various ways to distribute surveys. Daryl Martin agreed to send out revised copy of survey. Group agreed making hard copies of the survey is needed.**
- **Discussed how to approach the section on history. Some members felt that the current section is too large. Ms. Haynes suggested that the complete town history could be attached as an appendix so that the town's history doesn't get lost. Bill volunteered to meet with Walt Gable, County Historian, and Bill Sebring, Town Historian.**

Information session ended at 8:40 PM.

NEXT SESSION: APRIL 16, 2019.

Respectfully submitted,

Tom Bouchard