

Wednesday, September 26, 2018

Pursuant to adjournment comes now the Starke County Board of Commissioners and meet in Special Session at 5:30PM in the Annex meeting room, Knox, Indiana, with Don Binkley and Kathy Norem present and the following proceedings were held to wit:

The meeting was called to order by President Don Binkley. Commissioner Charlie Chesak was absent from the meeting.

Present at the Meeting was Shawn Cain, of KIRPC. She advised the purpose of the meeting was to hear presentations of two companies who were applying for the role of Consultant for the preparation of the Starke County Comprehensive Plan.

The first Company to present their presentation was HWC Engineering of 17 S. 6th Street, Suite X, Lafayette, IN 47901. Brian Pohlar and Corey Whitesell presented their information of their company and what it could do for the County. The presentation lasted 45 minutes and they left the room. Following their presentation the two Commissioners and County Attorney Marty Lucas scored them on their presentation and submitted the forms to Shawn Cain.

The second Company to present their presentation was the Troyer Group of 550 Union Street, Mishawaka, IN and Territorial Engineering of 7908 N. SR23, Walkerton, IN. They were represented by Mike Reese and Jonathon Geels of the Troyer Group and Robert Aloji of Territorial Engineering. It had been decided after both of these groups had submitted their files that they were going to work together on this project. They then presented their presentation which also lasted 45 minutes and then they left the room. The Commissioners and Attorney Lucas scored that presentation and turned them into Shawn Cain. She advised she would appear at their next Commissioner meeting, which will be on October 1st to name the Consulting Company and then schedule the next meeting. She also advised then the other two towns in the County, North Judson and Hamlet, will also be notified on the upcoming meeting.

There being no further business, Commissioner Norem made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Binkley seconded the motion and it passed with all ayes. The meeting adjourned at 7:37PM.

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Don Binkley, President

Kathryn Norem

ABSENT

Charles Chesak

Katherine Chaffins, County Auditor
& Secretary to the Board of County Commissioners