

**KENDALL COUNTY
REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION**

*Kendall County Office Building
Rooms 209 & 210
111 W. Fox Street, Yorkville, Illinois*

Meeting Minutes of March 27, 2019 - 7:00 p.m.

Chairman Ashton called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Bill Ashton, Roger Bledsoe, Tom Casey, Bill Davis, Larry Nelson, Ruben Rodriguez, Benjamin Schroeder, and John Shaw

Members Absent: Claire Wilson

Staff Present: Matthew H. Asselmeier, Senior Planner, and Ruth Ann Sikes, Part Time Office Assistant (Zoning)

In the Audience: Dan Kramer, Chet Sergo, Mary Kay Sergo, Dan Huddleston, Mark Bassong, Jean Cook, Celia Bulper, Dorothy Flisk, Craig Zimmerman, Craig Krause, Brittany Krause, and Brad Blocker

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Member Nelson made a motion, seconded by Member Bledsoe to approve the agenda with the change of moving Petition 19-08 ahead of Petition 19-07. With a voice vote of eight (8) ayes, the motion carried unanimously.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Member Bledsoe made a motion, seconded by Member Casey to approve the minutes of the February 27, 2019, meeting with a correction of adding “range” to after “gun” in the second paragraph under Approval to Initiate a Text Amendment for the Kendall County Sheriff’s shooting range. With a voice vote of eight (8) ayes, the motion carried unanimously.

PETITIONS

18-24 Dorothy Flisk on Behalf of Skyfall Equestrian, LLC

Mr. Asselmeier summarized the request.

The property is approximately eight point five (8.5) acres. The existing stable has twenty-six (26) horse stalls. The property has a total of sixteen (16) paddock areas and an “arena” area.

The Petitioner would like to demolish the accessory structures and construct an area for hay and straw and an additional twelve (12) stalls. The new barn will be constructed where the current brown barn is located, using the same footprint. The new barn will be ten feet to twelve feet (10’-12’) in height. The new barn will be a prefab construction type. The existing frame shed shall be located to the rear of the paddock area. The Petitioner would also like to construct a lounging arena north of the existing “arena” area.

The Petitioner has a waitlist and would like to expand because of the waitlist. If approved, the Petitioner would like to expand operations in the summer of 2019.

The Petitioner provided an EcoCat from 2005. Since no new building footprints are planned, an update EcoCat was not required.

The Petitioner applied for an NRI in February 2019 and the LESA Score was 167 indicating a low level of protection.

Revised information was sent to Little Rock Township Revised on February 21, 2019.

Revised information was sent to Bristol Township on February 21, 2019.

The City of Plano had no objections to the proposal.

Revised information was sent to the Bristol-Kendall Fire Protection District on February 21, 2019.

The Little Rock Fox Fire Protection District had no objections to the original proposal.

ZPAC recommended approval of the petition.

The Petitioner currently has manure picked up four (4) days per week and has a mushroom farmer collect manure for composting once per week. The manure area is sealed and graded with four (4) concrete blocks across the back and is four (4) rows high and three (3) rows deep. The Petitioner plans to install an opaque fence around the manure area.

Staff recommended approval subject to the following conditions:

1. All of the conditions contained in Ordinance 2012-22, except condition number 1 shall remain in effect.
2. Condition number 1 contained in Ordinance 2012-22 is hereby amended to read, "A maximum of thirty-six (36) horses are allowed to be housed in the stable."
3. The site shall be developed substantially in accordance with the attached site plan.
4. The owner(s) of the property shall secure applicable building permits prior to the construction of any structures on the property.
5. The owners(s) of the facility allowed by this special use permit shall follow all applicable Federal, State, and Local laws related to the operation of this type of business.
6. Failure to comply with one or more of the above conditions or restrictions contained in this ordinance and Ordinance 2012-22 could result in the amendment or revocation of the special use permit.
7. If one or more of the conditions contained in this ordinance and Ordinance 2012-22 is declared invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining conditions of both ordinances shall remain valid.

Dan Kramer gave a summary of the way the property was originally setup and that Dorothy Flisk owns the barn and six (6) other lots in the subdivision.

Chairman Ashton asked if the manure plan met the State requirements. Mr. Kramer stated there really are no requirements on manure, but they believe they do meet the expectations.

Member Schroeder expressed concerns about the removal of the urine waste and proximity to the creek. He is concerned that with the increase in horses, an increase in the amount of waste will occur. Mr. Kramer said the Health Department had no concerns about the waste.

Dan Huddleston, President of the HOA, spoke about the concerns of the members/neighbors. They are concerned about increased traffic, light pollution, noise, and manure. They are also concerned about the decreased value in their homes due to the fact of having a business in their backyard. Mark Bassong, Vice President of the HOA, agreed with everything Mr. Huddleston said.

Member Rodriguez asked if there was any talk about putting in a separate road to her barn. Mr. Huddleston said there is no way to install a new road.

Mr. Kramer said that request had nothing to do with the covenants of the HOA.

Jean Cook, Arlene Vankamper, and Mary Kay Sergo who board their horses at the stable spoke about how well maintained it is and how it enhanced the area.

Dorothy Flisk owner of the property answered questions about the disposal of urine and manure. She discussed the value and what kind of horses they board. Discussion occurred regarding her business operations, the number of vehicles using the road, and the number of employees at the business.

Member Nelson asked if they had thought about putting in Arborvites. Inadequate space exists for planting Arborvites near the paddock area.

Member Nelson made a motion, seconded by Member Bledsoe, to recommend approval of Petition 18-24 with the conditions proposed by Staff.

Yes (6): Ashton, Bledsoe, Davis, Nelson, Rodriguez, and Shaw
No (2): Casey and Schroeder
Absent (1): Wilson

The motion carried.

Petition 18-24 will go to the Zoning Board of Appeals on April 29, 2019.

19-08 Daniel, Bruce, and Norma Van Deventer and Deborah Hull on Behalf of the Wilbur C. VanDeventer Trust (current Owner) and Diane and Craig Zimmerman (Prospective Buyer)

Mr. Asselmeier summarized the request.

Craig Zimmerman, the prospective buyer, gave a summary that he wants to build a house/workshop on the property.

Craig and Brittany Krause expressed concerns of why did the property had to be rezoned from A1 to R1. Mr. Asselmeier stated it needs to be rezoned in order for them to build a house on it. Discussion also occurred regarding the address of the property.

Member Nelson made a motion, seconded by Member Rodriguez, to recommend approval of Petition 19-08.

Yes (8): Ashton, Bledsoe, Casey, Davis, Nelson, Rodriguez, Schroeder, and Shaw
No (0): None
Absent (1): Wilson

The motion carried.

Petition 19-08 will go to the Zoning Board of Appeals on April 1, 2019.

19-07 Kendall County Planning, Building and Zoning Committee

Mr. Asselmeier summarized the request. He explained enforcement issues in Boulder Hill and this proposal was the suggest way of resolving those issues.

Member Davis made a motion, seconded by Member Bledsoe, to recommend approval of Petition 19-07.

Yes (8): Ashton, Bledsoe, Casey, Davis, Nelson, Rodriguez, Schroeder, and Shaw
No (0): None
Absent (1): Wilson

The motion carried.

Petition 19-07 will go to the Zoning Board of Appeals on April 1, 2019.

19-09 Kendall County Regional Planning Commission

Mr. Asselmeier summarized the request.

Brad Blocker, Na-An-Say Township Supervisor, spoke about his issues which is the A1 outline reads to allow for the purposes best suited for agricultural purposes. He believes that taking it out of special use and turning it into a permitted use in this case it is pretty much a stretch to call that an Agricultural Use.

Members of the Commission gave Mr. Blocker a background on the proposal. No agricultural land is being taken out of use. It was noted that the proposal is for Oswego Township and the ordinance expires on December 31, 2024.

Member Nelson made a motion, seconded by Member Davis, to recommend approval of Petition 19-09.

Yes (9): Ashton, Bledsoe, Casey, Davis, Nelson, Rodriguez, Schroeder, and Shaw
No (0): None
Absent (1): Wilson

The motion carried.

Petition 19-09 will go to the Zoning Board of Appeals on April 1, 2019.

OLD BUSINESS

Update on Petition 18-04 Request from Kendall County Regional Planning Commission for Changes to the Future Land Use Map for Properties Near Route 47 in Lisbon Township

Mr. Asselmeier gave an Update. This proposal will go the Planning, Building and Zoning Committee in April.

CITIZENS TO BE HEARD/ PUBLIC COMMENT

None

NEW BUSINESS

Approval to Initiate a Text Amendment to Section 4.06 and 4.07 of the Kendall County Zoning Ordinance by allowing Research and Development Related Home Occupations to be Conducted Outside of a Dwelling or Permitted Accessory Structure and Adding the Phrase “Unless Otherwise Permitted by Law” to the End of Section 4.06.f and Section 4.07.g

Mr. Asselmeier summarized the request.

Mr. Nelson said this came out of a person wanting to do research on guns out of their home. Under current regulations he could not discharge a firearm outdoors as part of his business.

Member Rodriguez made a motion, seconded by Member Bledsoe, to approve initiating the text amendment.

- Yes (8): Ashton, Bledsoe, Casey, Davis, Nelson, Rodriguez, and Schroeder
- No (0): None
- Absent (1): Wilson
- Abstain (1): Shaw

The motion carried.

This petition will go to ZPAC on April 2, 2019.

REVIEW OF PETITIONS THAT WENT TO COUNTY BOARD

None

OTHER BUSINESS/ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mr. Asselmeier announced there were three (3) new petitions coming next month.

Member Schroeder talked about the sprinkler issue at the planned banquet facility on Schlapp Road.

ADJOURNMENT

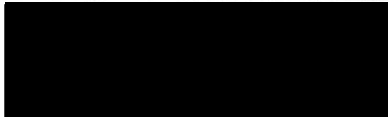


Member Rodriguez made a motion, seconded by Member Nelson, to adjourn. With a voice vote of eight (8) ayes, the motion passed unanimously. The Kendall County Regional Plan Commission meeting adjourned at 9:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by,
Ruth Ann Sikes
Part-Time Office Assistant (Zoning)

Encs.

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Mary Kay Sergio		
		
Mark Bassong		
Len Coe		
Celia Bulger		
Dorothy Flish		

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