

PLANNING COMMISSION
JULY 26, 2011

The Gladwin City Planning Commission met in regular session Tuesday, July 26, 2011 at Gladwin City Hall. The meeting was called to order at 5:15 p.m. by Chairman David followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Present: Commissioners David, Alward, Darlington, Witkowski, Beyer, Clayton, and Hindman.

Absent: Commissioners Foor and Stout.

Also present: Zoning Administrator Weaver, Marcia Smith, City Administrator Bob Moffit, Kim Donn and City Attorney Douglas Jacobson.

Motion by Commissioner Darlington, supported by Commissioner Hindman to approve the meeting minutes of June 20, 2011 as presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Information was offered as to election of officers and what the Planning Commission by-laws adopted in 2010 specify as well as information regarding a Zoning Board of Appeals and Planning Commission workshop offered by Billings Township.

Discussion on the matter of Medical Marihuana and possible changes to the zoning and / or city ordinance(s) and alternatives to the moratorium.

Motion by Commissioner Alward supported by Commissioner Darlington to recommend to the City Council that the moratorium on Medical Marihauna facilities within the City of Gladwin be extended for another six months. All ayes. Motion carried.

Attorney Jacobson and Zoning Administrator Weaver then discussed their findings as to court cases and the options the city could pursue. Chairman David suggested that proposed language to address the acceptable activities per current legal interpretations be composed and brought before the Commission next month for their consideration.

Motion by Commissioner Beyer, supported by Commissioner Witkowski to adjourn. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 5:55 p.m.

Jill Witkowski, Secretary