

MINUTES
GOLDEN TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING
APRIL 25,2006

7:30 PM Meeting called to order

Roll Call: Marciniak, Whitney, Kolenda, Fuehring, Wiegand, Terryn, Wilson, Lefler, Whelpley

Minutes from the March 28,2006 were approved. Motion by Wiegand, second by Wilson

Minutes from the April 12, 2006 Work Session were approved. Motion by Wilson, second by Wiegand.

No new business.

Old Business: Wind Turbine Ordinance.

A map of the elevations in the Township that could allow for turbines was presented as well as the Proposed Wind Turbine Generator Amendment. Minor improvements were made to the Amendment but was otherwise well received. The Board discussed the setbacks of the towers. Board members debated between 1.5 & 2 times the height of the tower as the setback. New towers are 400 ft tall and at 1.5 times the height as the setback would allow 1 turbine per 40 acres. An agreement was not met on the setbacks.

Another Wind Turbine Work Session was scheduled for Wednesday May 17,2006 at 7:30 PM

Meeting was adjourned at 8:45 PM.