

Minutes of Public Hearing  
Town of Perry  
Tuesday, May 1, 2007  
Perry Town Hall

Outdoor and Refuse Burning Ordinance

1. Call to order. Land Use Committee Chairman Mick Klein Kennedy called the Public Hearing to order at 8:04 PM. Committee members in attendance: Ken Hefty, Ann Windsor, Dean Vogel, Bird Cupps. Others in attendance: Bruce Fortney, Walter Anderson, Jason Monigold, Mark Haebig, Pat Downing, Mark Keller, Ed Sutter, Kay Watson, Dan Watson.

2. Public Hearing on revisions to an Outdoor and Refuse Burning Ordinance.

A letter from Doug King, who could not attend the meeting, was read. The letter recommended the consideration of a "notwithstanding" clause in the proposed ordinance.

Town residents present discussed the following issues regarding the proposed Outdoor and Refuse Burning Ordinance:

Can the Town continue burning such trash as mattresses at the recycling center? It was pointed out that it is already a state law that these type items cannot be burned.

How would we accommodate more dumpsters at the recycling center if people burned less trash?

How can farmers dispose of silage bags and bunker covers?

Should the recycling center be open more hours to accommodate people who have difficulty with the Saturday only hours. Suggestions were to be open one evening a week, or one evening a month at times when lighting would not be required.

How will people be notified if a new ordinance is adopted? Posting a notice at the recycling center or including a notice in the tax bill were suggested.

3. Adjourn. Ken Hefty moved and Dean Vogel seconded a motion to adjourn the public hearing. Motion carried. The public hearing adjourned at 8:53 PM.

Respectfully submitted,  
Ann Windsor