

# ISABELLA COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION

October 11, 2012

Room 225  
Isabella County Building  
7:00 p.m.

## AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Approval of Agenda
4. Minutes from the September 13, 2012 meeting
5. Liaison reports (ZBA, Parks & Rec., Board of Commissioners)
6. Township concerns
7. Public comment
8. **Farmland Agreement Review – MacDonald**
9. **Montcalm County Planning Commission Notice of Intent**
10. Public comment
11. Staff comments
12. Planning Commissioner's comments
13. Adjournment

\*PUBLIC COMMENT: The Planning Commission welcomes input and comments from the public. When recognized by the Chairperson, please come forward to the table in front, sign in and state your name and address for the record before providing the Commission with your comment. Please limit your comment to 3 minutes. The Board will not engage in immediate discussion or deliberation of a comment. There could be questions for clarification. If warranted, the Chairperson may assign any topic or issues to a Commission Subcommittee and/or Staff for review and more information.

**2012  
PLANNING COMMISSION  
MEMBERS**

Bob Thompson           CHAIR  
 Jerry Neyer               VICE-CHAIR  
 Christine Alwood       SECRETARY  
 William Dailey  
 Cheryl Jindeel  
 Evelyn Kent  
 Gordon Gilchrist  
 Kelly Bean  
 Joel Welty

**MISSION**

To assure responsive, effective, and quality service; while promoting responsible positive growth, balancing the need for development, conservation, recreation, transportation, and protecting the environment; while promoting coordinated and effective planning practices within Isabella County.

**MASTER LAND USE PLAN VISION**

To create an atmosphere in which all communities can work toward mutually supportive objectives to create a livable setting offering the benefits of rural character, an agricultural economy, a pristine environment, coupled with social and economic opportunity, urban amenities, affordable housing, an adequate infrastructure, and managed growth.

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**2012 MEETING SCHEDULE**

All meetings are scheduled for the  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m.  
 in Room 225 of the Isabella County Building  
 unless otherwise posted.

January 12, 2012	July 12, 2012
February 9, 2012	August 9, 2012
March 8, 2012	September 13, 2012
April 12, 2012	October 11, 2012
May 10, 2012	November 8, 2012
June 14, 2012	December 13, 2012
	January 10, 2013

COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
REPRESENTATIVE  
 William Dailey

COUNTY ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS  
REPRESENTATIVE  
 Gordon Gilchrist

COUNTY PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION  
REPRESENTATIVE  
 Christine Alwood

\*\*\*Should anyone wishing to attend a meeting require any special accommodations due to a physical disability or limitation, please contact the Planner/Zoning Administrator at the number above in advance so that appropriate accommodations can be arranged.