

**The Bowling Green Township Comprehensive Plan Committee met Wednesday February 17, 2010 at 5:30PM in the Township Community Building.**

Committee Chairperson Michael Pitcher called the meeting to order at 5:30PM.

In attendance

Committee Members: M. Pitcher, M. Burgess, G.Short, T.Robb, P. Volland,

BGT Trustees: D. Watkins attended agenda review

Committee members provided updates to assignments.

Pitcher will e-mail current plan document to committee members for their review.

Committee reviewed recommendation for changes to the community survey suggested by LCPC. Most suggestions were accepted. Pitcher to amend document and contact Brad Mercer at LCPC to decide best methods for distributing the survey.

Much discussion was had around what to include in the Comp Plan. Most of the items listed below would assist current land owners in protecting the way that they use of their property today. In addition, the Comp Plan can help land owners when applying for funding to preserve historical buildings or farmland.

Need to understand and promote "agricultural districts"

Need to identify potential "historical buildings" in the plan

Need to support farmland preservation

Committee also evaluated the idea of public water system. While it is not our intent to ask for public water, the township may face pressure in the future from the county to participate. The Comp Plan needs to prepare the township so that if public water must be installed it is done so with minimal economic impact to the residents.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:30PM.