

The Bowling Green Township Comprehensive Plan Committee met Wednesday October 20, 2010 at 5:30PM in the Township Building.

Committee Chairperson Michael Pitcher called the meeting to order at 5:40PM.

In attendance

Committee Members: M.Pitcher, T.Beckett, M.Burgess, P.Volland

BGT Trustees: Don Watkins

Members Absent: D.Krier, T.Robb, G.Short

Guests: None

Pitcher reaffirmed that the LCPC will begin attending meetings after the first of next year.

Committee discussed recent updates and comp plan strategy with respect to water, sewer, and roads.

Committee reviewed comments from community surveys. Several discussions were held regarding potential needs:

- Highly responsive 24 hr EMT coverage due to age of residents
- Increased presence of law enforcement due to recent crime activity
- Difficulty attracting new small businesses due to lack of infrastructure
- Strong interest of the community to remain rural.
- Need for zoning to block unwanted development.
- Potential for the township to capture grant funding for improvements (roads, sidewalks, building demolition, historic preservation, farm land preservation)

Committee discussed potential meeting and conflicting holiday activity for November and December. Beckett motioned to delay meetings until January when LCPC would be available. Second by Volland. All members were in favor. Motion carried. Committee will continue internal communication on an as needed basis as updates are collected during Nov and Dec.

Pitcher to follow up with LCATS regarding road safety survey for Brownsville.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:30PM.