

Redevelopment Commission
Meeting Minutes
Public Hearing
September 16, 2008

A. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m.

B. Pledge of Allegiance

C. Roll Call / Determination of Quorum

Present: Mr. Granat, Mr. Genger, Mr. Babcock, Mr. Raffin

Absent: Mr. Fowler, K. Spanier

Also present was Mrs. Huyser, pro-temp

D. Public Hearing – Porter Brickyard Trail

Matt Kaiser of Duneland Group gave the background of the project, description of the trail path, planned right-of-way acquisition, and cost estimate.

E. Audience Participation

Walt Muncie, 249 Howe Road, Porter, Indiana 46304 spoke in opposition of the Porter Brickyard Trail.

Ryan Crist, 195 Spring View Dr., Porter, Indiana 46304 spoke in opposition of the Porter Brickyard Trail.

Tim Karich, 300 Howe Road, Porter, Indiana 46304 spoke in opposition of the Porter Brickyard Trail.

Mike Smolis, 240 Howe Road, Porter, Indiana 46304 spoke in opposition of the Porter Brickyard Trail.

Rickie Clark, Indiana Dept. of Transportation, spoke offering additional information regarding the Porter Brickyard Trail. He ensured the attendees of the meeting that INDOT was involved in the planning stages of the trail and will remain involved until completion.

A copy of the transcription of the meeting in entirety is attached.

F. Adjournment

Albert Raffin, Vice President

Mike Genger

Jon Granat

Dave Babcock

Sue Huyser
Pro-temp for Karen Spanier