

Minutes
Ashton Planning and Zoning Commission

February 18, 2014
7:00 pm

Attendees: Commission Members: Chairman Bonnie Burlage, Administrator Susan Baker, Doug Ervin, Ron Dixon, Mayor Teddy Stronks and Jan Warnke.

Chairman Burlage called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm

Minutes from November 13, 2013 were approved as presented.

Administrator Baker Report - Administrator Baker gave her report from November 10th through February 15th.

New Business:

HUD Grant– Mayor Stronks has had the privilege of going two times to Washington D.C. to find ways to get grants for Fremont County. The study grant has money available for studies done if the City or County has a project they would like to implement. Mayor Stronks has met with the mayors from St. Anthony, Teton and Island Park. His goal is to get transportation for people in the county that need a ride for shopping, Dr. appointments, etc. Jan Brown was hired by Fremont County to help with the study. She came to the Ashton City Council meeting with the group’s idea of helping fund transportation for people riding on the rails to trails. A bus could pick someone up in Rexburg & transport them to Ashton so they could ride to Tetonia where they would get another ride back to Rexburg. She asked for a letter of support from the council for this project. Other counties and cities have pledged money and she would like to encourage Fremont County to also pledge.

National Monument Designation for the Island Park Area – Administrator Baker attended the meeting that was held earlier in the day. She reported that no one seems to know where the National Monument subject came from. Jan Brown was hired by the Fremont County to attend these meeting. If the National Monument goes through it will affect Fremont County one way or another. Administrator Baker encouraged people to attend and be aware of what is going on. Anyone can attend the monthly meetings. To be a part of the subcommittees you have to send an application to Henry’s Fork Foundation. This study will be a yearlong process.

Meeting adjourned

NEXT MEETING: Monday, March 24, 2014 at 7:00 pm.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Jan Warnke

Attest:

Jan Warnke
P & Z Secretary

Bonnie Burlage
Chairman