



City of La Crosse, Wisconsin

City Hall
400 La Crosse Street
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Meeting Minutes

Floodplain Advisory Committee

Thursday, May 14, 2020

4:00 PM

LifeSize Virtual Meeting

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Call to Order

Richmond called the meeting to order at 4:00 pm.

Roll Call

Present: 6 - Richard Becker, Andrea Richmond, Barb Janssen, Gary Padesky, Bill Bosshard, Sara Strassman

Excused: 1 - Scott Neumeister

Approval of Minutes

Becker made a motion to approve the minutes, Janssen seconded. The motion carried by a voice vote.

Agenda Items:

- 1 [20-0537](#) Decision on how to regulate the Ebner Coulee Floodplain based on SEH alternatives - Jordan Thole, SEH
Attachments: [Model Fact Sheet](#)
Woznak described fact sheet. The models would affect zoning code enforcement. Storage buffers aren't part of the recommended approach (1D Unsteady model). The park would not be inundated in this model; using the park for storage is only in a conceptual phase and more research would need to be done. Tracking compensatory storage would have to be done during permitting process.
Bosshard made a motion to approve going forward with the 1D Unsteady model, Padesky seconded. The motion carried by a voice vote.
- 2 [20-0650](#) Floodplain Relief Program Proposal - Tammie DeVooght Blaney, IASM
Blaney suggested raising the grant amount to \$50 to 60K, based on her industry experience. Richmond expressed concern about runoff from elevated properties.

*Janssen suggested waiting until the Flood Hazard Mitigation Plan was complete.
Richmond suggested more discussion at next meeting.*

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 4:50 pm.

Notice is further given that members of other governmental bodies may be present at the above scheduled meeting to gather information about a subject over which they have decision-making responsibility.

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