

Harrisburg City Council  
Unapproved Meeting Minutes

Harrisburg Vision Committee members and guests Sean Ervin, Aldermen Olson, Alderman Berg, Mayor VanLuvanee, Planning Commission members Bergsmith, Kindt, and Tank, Andrew Pietrus, Jon Brown, Adrienne McKeown, Linda Heerde, Michael McMahon, Lucas Lorenzen, Joe Stonesifer, Adam Walsh, and Mark Hierholzer met at the Liberty Elementary School Community Room at 5:30 p.m. on Monday, March 26, 2018.

Facilitator Ervin reviewed the results of the March 8 Committee meeting and discussed the goals and the priority of those goals for the City's Vision. The Committee shortened the list of goals from 15 to 12 and reached a consensus on the prioritization of the 12 goals.

The Committee next considered a vision statement to be used in the Comprehensive Plan update and eventually reached a consensus on the wording of this statement.

The Committee then reviewed the City Planning Area boundaries that had been created at an earlier meeting. The Committee extensively discussed specific areas within these boundaries for industrial, commercial, multi-family, and park development as well as corridors of special significance. A number of topics related to these areas were also discussed, including: separated grade railroad crossings; industrial sites and site extents; park density and bike path connections; future naming of major streets; possible locations of a future City Hall and Community Center; and desired facilities and their locations.

Ervin will provide Committee members with a summary of the Committee's work and the final version of the maps that were created. This information will serve as the basis for the City's Comprehensive Plan update. The Committee agreed to meet again at 6:00 p.m. on April 17 to review this information and decide upon the next steps, timelines, and task assignments to be taken by the Committee and its members. The meeting adjourned at 9:25 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Michael McMahon  
Planning & Zoning Administrator

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