

# SHAWNEE COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION

## AGENDA

Monday – January 12, 2009  
6:00 P.M.

Shawnee County Annex  
1515 NW Saline Street  
First Floor Conference Room  
Topeka, Kansas 66618

### General Information:

- The Shawnee County Planning Commission holds a public hearing on the second Monday of each month to consider certain zoning, conditional use permit, subdivision, and other related proposals as may be required by laws of the state or county.
- The following agenda identifies and describes each proposal to be considered by the Commission.
- Please refer to the attached Hearing Procedure governing the rules of conduct and the manner in which individual items will be heard.
- Unless continued, all **zoning** and **conditional use permit** matters on this agenda will be considered by the **Shawnee County Commission on Monday, February 02, 2009 at 9:00 A.M. in the Shawnee County Courthouse, Room B-11, Topeka, Kansas.**

THE NEXT PUBLIC HEARING IS SCHEDULED FOR  
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 09, 2009

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## **Members Of The Planning Commission**

Michael Murray, Chairperson

Dave Macfee, Vice-Chairperson

Kurt Young

Dave Ireland

Bruce Henriksen

Marie Elaine Carter

Nancy Johnson

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## **Planning Department Staff**

Barry T. Beagle, AICP, Planning Director

Anna M. Ortega, Zoning Administrator

Gloria Obregon, Administrative Assistant

Carol Henderson, Permit Specialist

# Hearing Procedure

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**Welcome!** Your attendance and participation in tonight's hearing is important and ensures a comprehensive scope of review. It is because of the significance of this proceeding that everyone understands the hearing procedure.

Each item appearing on the agenda will be considered by the Shawnee County Planning Commission in the following manner:

1. The Planning Department staff will introduce each agenda item and present the staff report and recommendation. Commission members will then have an opportunity to ask questions of staff.
2. Chairperson will then call for presentation by applicant followed by questions from the Commission.
3. Chairperson will then call for public comments in the following order:
  - ❑ Comments of those speaking in favor
  - ❑ Comments of those speaking in opposition

Each speaker must come to the podium and state your name and address for the record. The Chairperson reserves the right to establish a time limit for all speakers to afford everyone the opportunity to speak and in consideration of other items appearing on the agenda. At the conclusion of each speaker's comments, the Commission will have the opportunity to ask questions. The applicant will be given the opportunity for rebuttal and make concluding comments. The Chairperson reserves the right to allow additional testimony from proponents and opponents after all initial comments are made.

4. Chairperson will close the public hearing at which time no further public comments will be received. Commission members may then discuss the proposal and ask further questions of staff.
5. Chairperson will then call for a motion on the item, which may be cast in the affirmative or negative. Upon a second to the motion, the Chairperson will call for a role call vote in which Commission members will then vote yes, no or abstain.

Each item appearing on the agenda represents a potential change in the manner in which land may be used or developed. Significant to this process is public comment, which affords the Commission with information essential for making a determination. Your cooperation and attention to the above noted hearing procedure will ensure an orderly meeting and afford an opportunity for all to participate. Please Be Respectful! Each person's testimony is important regardless of his or her position. *All questions and comments shall be directed to the Chairperson from the podium and not to the applicant, staff or audience.*

# **Shawnee County Planning Commission**

## **AGENDA**

**Monday, January 12, 2009**

- A. Call to Order and Announcement of Hearing Procedure**
- B. Roll Call and Declaration of a Quorum**
- C. Approval of Minutes for September 08, 2008 and October 13, 2008 Public Meeting**
- D. Communications**
- E. Ex parte Communications by Members of the Commission**
- F. Declaration of Conflict of Interest by Members of the Commission or Staff**
- G. Election of Officers**
  - 1. Chairman**
  - 2. Vice Chairman**
- H. Discussion of Planning Related Issues**
  - 1. Introduction to the Watershed Restoration and Protection Strategy**
    - a. Middle Kansas WRAPS, Rick David, WRAPS Coordinator**
    - b. Upper Wakarusa WRAPS, Tom Huntzinger, WRAPS Coordinator**
  - 2. Endorsement of Natural Resource Inventory and Assessment Project**
  - 3. Discussion of Potential Work Projects for 2009**
- I. Public Comment on Non-Agenda Planning and Zoning Items**
- J. Adjournment**