

**Harris Planning Commission
Regular Meeting Minutes
Monday, February 24, 2025**

- I. **Call to Order** – Chairman Borash called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.
- II. **Pledge of Allegiance** – All present participated in the Pledge of Allegiance.
- III. **Oath of Office – Al Siedow** – City Clerk Shannon Geier administered the Oath of Office to Al Siedow.
- IV. **Roll Call** – Geier conducted roll call. Present were Chairman Jeff Borash, Commissioner Shari Denny, Commissioner Tina Kolodziej, Commissioner Neil Elmquist, and Commissioner Al Siedow. Geier announced a quorum was present.
- V. **Consent Agenda** - Denny made a motion to approve January 27, 2025, Regular Meeting Minutes. Elmquist seconded the motion. All in favor, motion carried.
- VI. **Public Comment** – None.
- VII. **Regular Agenda** -
 - A. **Dog boarding, kennel, and dog ordinance** – Commissioners reviewed the sample ordinances that were provided. The consensus was that if we allow kennels, there must be regulations to protect the neighbors from continual barking. The items listed were Interim Use Permit (IUP), amount of land, setbacks from property lines, buildings and exercise areas, limit number of animals, and process for revoking IUP. Of the sample ordinances reviewed, the North Branch Ordinance was a close rendition of what the Harris Ordinance should include. Commissioners will read it through thoroughly and make notes to bring to next month’s meeting.
- VIII. **Commissioner Reports** – None.
- IX. **Adjourn** - Siedow made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Elmquist seconded the motion. All in favor, motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

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