

A. CALL TO ORDER: 8/27/15

B. ROLL CALL: 7:23pm

Jesse Seavers, Camille Thorson, Diana Maggiore. Guest Elizabeth Allen

C. DISCUSSION ITEMS:

1. Jodi's presentation scheduling

No Quorum, No Jodi, PASS

2. Town 2-acre parcel adjacent to new shop site for community greenhouse. (see topo map sent by Alicia)

- We didn't have a topo map for this site, only the Town Shop site map. (that topo doesn't exactly show the land adjacent)
- Extra land and looking to SAB for suggestions
- Blank slate, funding would need to be secured for any endeavor.
- What is the accessibility to the 2 acre site?
- Greenhouse going in downtown for food.
 - Next to Wild Mountain Smokehouse
- Generate more ideas?
- Leave it undeveloped for now- we want to be a part of any future considerations. Inspiration as it comes.

D. ACTION ITEMS:

1. Approve July 24, 2015 meeting minutes

No Quorum, PASS

2. Reschedule Nov & Dec meeting dates

No Quorum, PASS

3. Community Garden 2016/ Local Fresh Vegetable Production with Elizabeth Allen

- Jesse has some land project ideas for hoop houses and other food production.
- Community garden fosters social community other than just growing food production.
- Elizabeth has talked with the property owner at the current community garden site, and will meet with her before next SAB meeting.
- Mayor said that if we use town land, then we would be able to procure the town water rights, and it would then be free water for the garden.
- Possible idea: Town land adjacent to current community garden site, and then we would have water.

- Water was an issue in the past garden; nobody took responsibility to pay the water bill.
- Last BOT meeting: New greenhouse on First St. Parking spaces developed on the Town of Nederland's land, on the riparian on the creek, BOT shot down that topic.
- Request that the BOT approve that we move the community garden to the next parcel over (town land) and have approval to activate town water rights to get water out of the creek for the garden.
- I would like to request to the BOT that we move the community garden to town property parcel number: 158313344005.
 - We have every intention to work with town staff on this.
 - Need to do a site visit to make sure that this land is feasible. Elizabeth and Camille will do this and follow up with the committee.
- Reba LaMaster- her husband paid expensive water bill, she built the fence.
- Morgan Messersmith
- BOT meets every other Tuesday, so they will meet September 8th/ 22nd.
- Hoop houses at Shoshoni
- Greenhouses in Spain.

4. Vote on approval of a Local Food Sub-Committee to develop gardens and local food further

No Quorum , can't vote on this. Maybe just gather up likeminded folks and discuss local food initiatives.

- NedCompost people for soil amendment
- Shoshoni (had greenhouse, we should go tour their garden projects)
- Alvin Mites
- LauraJean (has past experience with local food production)
- Wendy Monroe: Growers next to library: Victory Gardens

F. OTHER BUSINESS: none

G. ADJOURNMENT: 8:06 pm