Joint Town/Village of Lima Planning Board Meeting Minutes May 1, 2013

Present: George Gotcsik, Chairman; Colleen Allen, Brandon Armes, Doug Best, Amy

Klausner, Paul Osborne, Rose Reynolds; Deb Shaughnessy, Secretary

Guests: Charlie Johnson, CEO

Excused: George Harvey

The Meeting of Joint Town/Village Planning Board (The Board) was called to order at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 1, 2013.

Old Business:

- **A.** The minutes of the February 6 Planning Board meeting were reviewed. **A motion was made** and passed to approve the minutes as written.
- B. April CEO Reports were reviewed. A Motion was made to approve the February CEO Reports as read. Motion carried.

New Items

Topsoil Regulations Task Force

George Gotcsik, Colleen Allen and Doug Best will develop a subcommittee to study topsoil regulations.

The CEO has received a subdivision request by John Bailey, Sr. He wants to divide the property into two parcels; one would be 6 acres with an existing house on property and the remainder 19 acres to sell as a separate parcel. The Planning Board has no objections to this request.

Open Items

A. Membership Update

George Gotcsik introduced the newly appointed member, Brandon Armes.

B. Kistner Update

Kistner is considering hiring a sign designer. No updates on the sign at this time. This item will remain open for the next meeting.

C. Design Standards Project

George Gotcsik and Cathy Gardner have met with the Rochester Regional Design Center on the Rt. 15A Gateway Design Project. There is a scheduled informational meeting on May 8 at Town Hall where representatives from Rochester Regional Design Center will present give a slide-illustrated presentation of their recommendations to guide future development of Rt. 15A.

D. Training Opportunities

The following training opportunities were shared with the Board:

- Livingston County Environmental Management Council is offering "Year of Energy 2013" workshops from May-October.
- "Your Urban Trees from the Soil Up" May 31 at McCrobie Civic Center, Oswego
- "Spring 2013 Regional Local Government" Workshop May 16 at Burgundy Basin Inn, Pittsford

E. Comprehensive Plan

The Comprehensive Plan is five years old and The Board discussed updating. The Board will review and then document a response to the Town Board. All board members will review the plan online and prepare to discuss at the next Planning Board meeting.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made and seconded. Motion carried and The Joint Town & Village Planning Board meeting was adjourned at 8:00 p.m.