

CITY OF COLUMBUS
PUBLIC HEARING IN INTERACTIVE TECHNOLOGY MEETING FORMAT
STATUTES SECTION 13D.021
9056 BROADWAY AVE NE
KENNEL INTERIM USE PERMIT (GLEN AND SUE KOTHE) - PC22-110
07-20-2022

The 07-20-2022 Public Hearing to consider a request for an Interim Use Permit to operate a Residential Dog Kennel with four or more dogs in the Rural Residential District at 9056 W Broadway Ave NE, PID 01-32-22-33-0002. The meeting was called to order at 6:40 pm by Chair Ron Hanegraaf at the City Hall. Present were Commission members Kris King, Barb Bobick and Bob Berens, City Administrator Elizabeth Mursko, City Planner Dean Johnson, Associate Planner Frank Koenen, Planning and Zoning Permit Tech Ella Giefer, Larkin Hoffman Attorney Megan Rogers, and Permit Coordinator Carissa Kranz.

In attendance via interactive technology were City Council members Shelly Logren, Forest Lake Times Representative Natalie Ryder, Don Waldoch, Paul & Holly Pearson and Josh Brobeck.

Also, in attendance in person were City Council member Janet Hegland and Mayor Jesse Preiner, Tom Olson, Sue Wagamon, Steve Wagamon, John Dahl, Barb Waldoch, Brent Fritzingler, Greg Newville, Michelle Daubs, Craig Kepler, Roger Nase, Sherri Nase, Jerry Winiecki, Earl Halley, James Underdahl, Cindy Angel, Julie Lane, Travis Lane, Perry Wagamon, Keith Brone, Krystle Bloch, Sheri Heim, Richard Wildflower, Helen Wood, Mike Wood, Darren Zabinski, Mary Jo Lyons, James Gauerke, Mark Walden, Jeff Carlson and Alberta Swanson.

The meeting was held in an interactive technology meeting format.

Hanegraaf: Item number 6. On the Agenda, which is a Public Hearing and Discussion, 9056 Broadway Ave NE Kennel, Interim Use Permit, Glen and Sue Kothe, Enclosure C and Enclosure E. Ella, would you like to read the notice as published in the Forest Lake Times?

Notice was read at this time by the recording secretary.

Hanegraaf: Thank you Ella. At this time and for the record, would Glenn or Sue Kothe, the applicants, come up and have a chair if they're here, and announce their presence.

Bobick: Didn't you get a letter saying they wouldn't be present?

Hanegraaf: Well, they're going to be, is there going to be a zoom?

Bobick: There was one in the package.

Mursko: No, you know Mr. Chair, we did receive message that there was a possibility that there was a conflict and he would not be able to attend and in that case he indicated that he would let his application stand and it will try to answer any questions that we have knowledge of, whether it's our associate planner or myself if you've got questions, otherwise we can go through and continue with the and hold the public hearing.

Hanegraaf: Okay, well, this is just a renewal of a dog kennel IUP it's a 10-year IUP so I guess we'll ask the public. Well, I haven't opened up to public here and I just want to ask if we had any complaints. Oh, or should I go to the public?

Koenen: Anoka County Sheriff was contacted on July 16th and there were no records of complaints and there were also no records of complaints from our animal control person.

Hanegraaf: Alright, thank you Frank. Okay, it's time to open up the public hearing for the public. Anyone who has any interests in this manner and wants to present testimony as evidence on the issues. Please acknowledge themselves by stating their name and address, after which you have the floor to speak hearing no one coming forth we'll close the public hearing will have a discussion.

Resident: [inaudible, asking if this is the Park Construction public hearing.]

Mursko: Yes, this is the public hearing for the dog kennel from for Glenn Kothe. And so again, if there is there anyone in here or in the Council Chambers, which is wishing to speak, just let us know or run in here, but otherwise we'll continue with our discussion.

Hanegraaf: I keep forgetting there's people in the other room. So, do they have a microphone back there to come forth?

Mursko: They do.

Hanegraaf: Okay, so I'll give them another 30 seconds. Okay, nobody's come forth, so we'll close the public hearing, open up for discussion among the members.

At this time Chair Hanegraaf closed the Public Hearing. Hearing closed at 6:44pm.

Ella Giefer

Respectfully submitted: Ella Giefer, Recording Secretary