Town of Collins Planning Board Meeting October 18, 2016

Call meeting to order:

Chairman Brian Martin called meeting to order at 7:07 PM with the pledge of allegiance and attendance taken.

Attendance:

Present: Thomas Siegle, John Bentley, Richard Agle, Joan Fallon and Chairman Brian Martin **Not Present:**

Solar Farms (Commercial):

• Chairman Martin informed the Planning Board Supervisor Dave Tessmer and Councilman Ken Martin went to a meeting regarding Solar Panel Farms. There are a couple of options regarding the town opting out, including a "Pilot Program". This is strictly for farm and not for the individual homeowner which would go through the normal process. Attorney Jim Musacchio called Ch. Brian Martin about setting up a meeting with other towns getting together to get more information. There is still concern regarding gas wells and placement of those wells. How will it effect the gas land leases? Can a solar farm go where a gas well proposed sight? Ch. Brian Martin will talk to Jim about setting up that meeting with other towns.

Next Meeting:

Next meeting will be held on November 15, 2016 at 7:00 PM.

Adjournment:

Motion was made to adjourn the meeting at 7:25 PM.

Motion: Thomas Siegle

2nd: Chairman Brian Martin

Vote: Passed - Thomas Siegle -aye, John Bentley - aye, Richard Agle - Aye, Joan Fallon - Aye,

Chairman Brian Martin - Aye

Respectfully submitted,

Deb Martin