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**REGULAR SESSION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
HUNTINGTON COUNTY, INDIANA, March 19, 2025**

**IN ATTENDANCE:** Commissioner Terry Stoffel; Commissioner Rob Miller; Commissioner Tom Wall; Gretchen Lenfestey, Office Manager; Stefanie Barrioz, HR Director; Phil Hibbert, Facilities Manager; Jill Landrum, Auditor; Kim Hostetler, Director of the Department of Community Development, Karl Veracco, Mediator and Attorney with Carson LLC, Mike Stephan, Geroge Bachnivsky, and Bob Bolen.

This meeting was live streamed via YouTube and was made available to the public from the GAR Room, and Courthouse Rotunda.

**IN THE MATTER OF DISCUSSION)**

**Solar Advisory Group Updates**

Commissioner Rob Miller explained the format of the meeting and requested civility amongst everyone present. The meeting included two groups: Group 1 was Chad Lippe (absent) and Mike Stephan, and Group 2 was Geroge Bachnivsky and Bob Bolen who would present their proposed standards for an updated solar ordinance. Each group was provided 30 minutes to present their proposed standards. The first group to present was based on a coin toss which was flipped by Karl Veracco, Mediator. Group 2 was given the opportunity to choose to go first or second, and they chose to go second. Mike Stephan presented the outline for Group 1, followed by George Bachnivsky and Bob Bolen presenting their proposed standards. Both groups were then provided with 25 minutes to discuss any concerns with members of the public, followed by the closing remarks for both groups.

Commissioner Miller outlined the next steps for the groups including when their final proposed standards would be due to Baker Tilley for writing the ordinance, then presented at the Plan Commission meeting on May 14, 2025, which is then expected to be voted on by the Commissioners at a June 2, 2025 special meeting.

The Commissioners took no official actions or votes during this meeting.

**These Minutes were approved on Monday, April 21, 2025.  
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request in the Commissioners' Office located at 201 North  
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