

VERMILION COUNTY, ILLINOIS

VERMILION COUNTY WIND AND SOLAR COMMITTEE

DATE: November 22, 2024

TIME: 9:00 AM

LOCATION: VERMILION COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE BUILDING
COUNTY BOARD ROOM, SECOND FLOOR
201 North Vermilion Street
Danville, Illinois 61832

MINUTES of MEETING OF NOVEMBER 22, 2024 (approved March 17, 2025)

Committee Members Present: Chairman Steve Fourez, Harold Puzey, Chris Crawford, Adrian Greenwell

Staff Members Present: Special Assistant State's Attorney Andrew Keyt, Hearing Facilitator Scott Kains, Court Reporter Jamie Atkinson

I. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order on November 22, 2024 at 9:00 am

II. ROLL CALL

The above noted members were present for the meeting and hearings.

III. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Committee member Greenwell moved to approve the agenda, seconded by Puzey. The agenda was approved by a vote of 4 yeas and 0 nays.

IV. PUBLIC COMMENT

None

V. APPROVAL OF PAST MEETING MINUTES

The following sets of past meeting minutes were reviewed and approved:

1. Meeting minutes of February 23, 2024 (recessed to March 14, 2024 at 3:00 pm);
2. Meeting minutes of December 11, 2023 (recessed to January 10, 2024 and recessed to March 14, 2024)

Committee member Greenwell moved to approve the past meeting minutes, seconded by Puzey. The motion passed by a vote of 4 yeas and 0 nays.

VI. PUBLIC HEARING AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON SITING PERMIT APPLICATION OF VERMILION SOLAR 3 LLC TO CONSTRUCT AND OPERATE A COMMERCIAL SOLAR ENERGY FACILITY APPROXIMATING 28.3 ACRES AND 5-MEGAWATTS, GENERALLY LOCATED EAST OF THE INTERSECTION BETWEEN STATE ROUTE 9 AND N 1830 E ROAD IN VERMILION COUNTY IN GRANT TOWNSHIP.

All evidence and discussion related to this topic is reflected in the stenographic record.

Motion to approve the draft Findings of Fact made by Committee Member Greenwell and seconded by Committee Member Puzey. Motion passed by a vote of 4 yeas and 0 nays.

Motion to recommend draft Conditions made by Committee Member Puzey and seconded by Committee Member Crawford. The motion passed by a vote of 4 yeas and 0 nays.

Motion to recommend the county board approve the application with conditions made by Committee Member Puzey and seconded by Committee Member Crawford. The motion passed by a vote of 4 yeas and 0 nays.

VII. PUBLIC HEARING AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON SITING PERMIT APPLICATION OF PIVOT ENERGY IL 6 LLC TO CONSTRUCT AND OPERATE A COMMERCIAL SOLAR ENERGY FACILITY APPROXIMATING 14.9 ACRES AND 3.375-MEGAWATTS, GENERALLY LOCATED AT THE INTERSECTION OF COUNTY ROAD 750 N AND CATLIN INDIANOLA ROAD IN VERMILION COUNTY IN CARROLL TOWNSHIP.

All evidence and discussion related to this topic is reflected in the stenographic record.

Motion to approve the draft Findings of Fact made by Committee Member Crawford and seconded by Committee Member Greenwell. Motion passed by a vote of 4 yeas and 0 nays.

Motion to recommend draft Conditions made by Committee Member Greenwell and seconded by Committee Member Crawford. The motion passed by a vote of 4 yeas and 0 nays.

Motion to recommend the county board approve the application with conditions made by Committee Member Puzey and seconded by Committee Member Crawford. The motion passed by a vote of 4 yeas and 0 nays.

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn was made by Greenwell and seconded by Crawford. Motion passed by a vote of 4 yeas and 0 nays. Whereupon the meeting adjourned.