CITY OF LAKE ELMO

PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF JULY 28, 1975

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PRESENT:

Johnson, Williams, Dreher, Grace, Sovereign and Armstrong

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SECOND by Dreher

VOTE All in favor

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION to adjourn by Williams SECOND by Sovereign VOTE All in favor

MEETING ADJOURNED AT 9:35 P.M.

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Respectfully Submitted,

Thomas G. Armstrong Secretary

AGENDA--PLANNING-ZONING COMMISSION CITY OF LAKE ELMO, MINN. 55042

MEETING TO BE HELD MONDAY, JULY 28, 1975.

- 7:30 P.M. -- Roll Call
 Approval of Minutes
- 8:00 P.M. -- W. E. Lund--116 Lamplite Circle, Royal Oaks Woodbury, Minn. --- 738-0135

 Discuss building of duplex on Lot 4, Block 2, Kenridge 2nd. Addition.
- 8:30 P.M. -- Wm. Lehmann-- Lehmann Mushroom -11490 Hüdson Blvd. 739-0686
 Add to Mushroom Plant for housing.
- 9:00 P.M. -- John Eastep--771 E. Nebraska Ave., St. Paul 774-2761

 Park mobile trailer on Eastep property at Lot 2, Pabst Lake Jane, 2nd Addition

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION:

Agenda for 3M Hearing on August 14, 1975.

Lake Elmo--Oakdale Joint Power Agreement to handle Environmental Assessments for 3M Development.

Due to the fact that written opinions from PZC members and Council were slow in coming in, Midwest has been postponed until next meeting, August 12, 1975.

Review of rough draft of Comprehensive Plan from Midwest Planning has not been able to meet the deadline of July 28th. To date they only have written responses from six PZC members.

It is Midwest's intent to proceed now with what they have.

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