

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the City of Red Wing Advisory Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, May 17, 2022, at 7:00 p.m. in the City Council Chambers at City Hall to hear and make a recommendation on a Zoning Text Amendment initiated by the Red Wing City Council and the Red Wing Sustainability Commission to allow honeybee keeping in the City of Red Wing. The proposed text amendment to Division 55-120 of the Zoning Ordinance (Chapter 11 of City Code) would allow honeybee keeping in non-agricultural zoning districts and on parcels less than five acres in existing agricultural districts with the issuance of a Certificate of Compliance. The proposal also requires a minor revision to Section 10.07 of Chapter 10 of City Code in regard to the keeping of "Farm Animals" within the City of Red Wing. A complete draft of the proposed text amendment can be viewed at the Community Development Department, 419 Bush Street, Red Wing, Minnesota or by requesting a copy using the contact information below.

Written or oral comments regarding the proposed Zoning Text Amendment may be presented at this public hearing or filed with the City Clerk prior to this hearing. Each response will be duly considered and evaluated before any formal action is taken by the Planning Commission. If you wish to share a public comment at this meeting, you may also send an email with your comments by 3:00 p.m. on Tuesday, May 17, 2022, to steve.kohn@ci.red-wing.mn.us or by calling 651-385-3622 to leave your contact information and a voicemail with your comments. This meeting will also be held virtually; you may request a link or call-in number to join the meeting via Webex.

The applicant and the public will have the opportunity to present comments on the Advisory Planning Commission's recommendations at a City Council meeting. The purpose of allowing comments is to provide the applicant and the public with the opportunity to directly address the Council on the matter. The comment period cannot be used for the presentation of new information as all relevant information needs to be provided to the Advisory Planning Commission at the public hearing. If new information is presented to the City Council that was not considered at the public hearing of the Advisory Planning Commission, the Council may vote to send the matter back to the Advisory Planning Commission. All comments will be kept to the customary 3-minute limit. The City Council meeting is scheduled for 6:00 p.m. on May 23, 2022.

Teri L. Swanson, City Clerk City of Red Wing, Minnesota

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