

# **COLVILLE PARKING COMMISSION**

Meeting Minutes – August 23, 2011

## **Call to Order**

The meeting was held at Colville City Hall. The meeting was called to order by chairman Ryke Dahlen at 6:00 PM.

## **Roll Call**

Members Present: Ryke Dahlen; Tiane Shoemaker; Steve Wisner.

Members Absent: No absentees.

City Council / Staff: Jim Lapinski (staff)

Guests: There were no guests.

## **Approval of Minutes**

The meeting minutes for the June 7, 2011 meeting were reviewed and approved as presented.

## **Meeting Summary**

The meeting was called to review the diagonal parking conceptual plans prepared by Welch/Comer Engineering. The Commission agreed that the overall plan was a positive progression but would not be acceptable as presented unless modifications were made. The primary negative points were the number of lost parking spaces due to oversized no-parking 'dead zones' on street corners and other areas with apparent reductions. The Commission also questioned the need for two crosswalks instead of one, and the plans for the existing street lights. The Commission decided to present their objections to the city council and gain clarification of the specific intent of the plans followed by a discussion of potential modifications. The Commission also agreed to voice a strong recommendation that Welch/Comer include the Commission and/or Main Street business owners during the design stages of the eventual final plan.

## **Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 7:10 PM.