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**SPRING LAKE TOWNSHIP  
PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES  
March 20, 2013 – REGULAR MEETING**

PRESENT: David Rumpel, Dennis Masson, Russ Tiles, Jack Ketchum, Greg Latsch, and Amy VanDyke.

ABSENT: Ron Lindquist

PARTICIPANTS: Lukas Hill - Community Development Director

**A. Call to Order.**

Rumpel called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

**B. Adoption of Minutes.**

Masson moved to adopt the minutes of the February 2013 regular meeting of the Planning Commission. Ketchum seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

**C. Approval of Agenda.**

Masson moved to approve the agenda. Latsch seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

**D. General Public Comment: No general public comment.**

**E. Ottawa County Ground Water Study Presentation**

Aaron Bodbyl-Mast gave a presentation on the current status a ground water study being performed by Michigan State University. This study was commissioned because it some areas in Ottawa County are having wells dry up and/or poor quality due to salinity. Differences between surface aquifers and bedrock aquifers were pointed out including how they are recharged.

**F. Master Review Items**

Hill presented a number of items that could be reviewed when performing the five year mandatory master plan update.

**G. Reports**

1. Township Board: No Report.
2. Zoning Board of Appeals: No Report.
3. CDD: No report.

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- J. Motion to adjourn at 9:00PM made by Latsch with support from Ketchum. Motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

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David Rumpel, Chairman  
*Planning Commission*