

**Morgan County Commission
Public Hearing
Morgan County Comprehensive Plan Update Final Draft
February 9, 2017 – 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
Morgan County Commission Meeting Chambers**

Present: Morgan County Commission
 Joel Tuttle, President
 Robert Ford
 Ken Reed

Other's Present:
 Alma E. Gorse, County Planner
 Jack Soronen, President, Morgan County Planning Commission
 Jeanne Mozier
 Ken Troy
 Larry Lower

Commission President J. Tuttle opened the hearing at 6:00 p.m.

A. Gorse reported that the updating of the Comprehensive Plan started in February 2016. Arro Consulting, engineers for the Morgan County Planning Commission, staff and volunteers assisted with the update. As required by West Virginia Code, the Morgan County Planning Commission held public hearings to received comments on the draft. The final revision of the Plan was presented to the Morgan County Commission on January 18, 2017. The Morgan County Commission is required to schedule a public hearing prior to the adoption of the updated Plan.

Recommended changes are as follows:

- Acknowledgements Page: Include previous commissioner B. Close and new Commissioner K. Reed and list date of Commissioner's terms;
- Page PS-11 – Correct the term lengths for the County Clerk and Circuit Clerk (listed as 4 year term, change to 6 year term);
- Page RT-2 – Add Sidling Hill Wildlife Management Area; and
- Page ED-7 – Table listing number of full and part-time employees, check totals for accuracy.

Public hearing was closed at 7:00 p.m.