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Update (10/29/04 ~3:47pm)

## The following is a summary of Project Events as of today:

- Andrew Bailey and Spencer Thompson are working on a meeting with Cass County (Nov. 5th). Glenn Keefe and Leroy Lutes will participate in the meeting.
- Mike Fisher (Peculiar City Administrator) met with Gary Mallory (Cass County) yesterday to discuss the
  project. It was indicated that the County will oppose the CPCN idea and will oppose issuance of a Special
  Use Permit. Andrew and Spencer will regroup with him next week to confirm the position.
- Last night a group of ~50 residents along with their Attorney Gerald Eftenk (sp) held a meeting. I spoke to a person who was at the meeting who indicated that the Attorney indicated that the group had a long road to travel.
- Andrew and Spencer spoke to the Attorney (Gerald Eftenk) today and he indicted to them that he was ready for a fight.
- Mark Dawson and I met with George Pruitt (Mayor of Lake Annette) today. Lake Annette is 3 miles south
  of the site and they would like to annex the road and site and participate in the Chapter 100.

## **Action Items:**

- Trying to schedule a meeting for Monday (Nov. 1st) to meet with Peculiar/Aquila and the respective
  Attorneys. The purpose is to plan for the meeting with Cass County and to review other options. One
  option is to continue with annexation. The latest option is for the City to take ownership of the property and
  designate it for the facility. They have done this with items such as sewage facilities. Andrew and Spencer
  were reluctant to support this option at this time.
- Letters of support are in process:
- 1) The City has provided a letter.
- 2) The School Superintendent is reluctant to submit a letter. The Chapter 100 does not give him enough upfront benefit to face the pressure.
- 3) The Fire District will take some time to obtain.
- 4) The Water District requires Board Approval (anticipated Nov. 8th).
- 5) Lake Annette plans to submit a letter ~2 weeks (needs Board approval).

Bottom Line: In speaking with Andrew and Spencer, they believe that all of these options are good to investigate, however, it is probably best to continue down the CCN path as a Utility.

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