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Subject: Re: Explaining my appeal on RZ 20:19/Changes needed

Patti,

Im out of town for the week; however, I will answer a few of the concerns:

-Regarding public comments, we did open up for them, and at least 5 people spoke that night. We allowed greater than 15 minutes and you (Patti) spoke two different times, Mr Blackburn, Mrs Day and I think one other person spoke during public comments.

-We never ask for public comments after the motion and second. In following Roberts Rules of Order, we vote.

- Regarding the phone calls, I read the phone number publicly and announced I would be opening for public comments after Darrell presented staff comments. The contact number was displayed at least 2 times during public comments. While allowing public comments, we asked at least 4 times if any calls had come in. It wasn't until the next day that we discovered an issue with the phone system at which time Tracy documented the issue with the IT department and that has been remedied.

Thanks,

Lonnie R