

Schoolcraft Township Planning Commission

Proposed Minutes of the meeting held on Monday, November 6, 2017

A meeting of the Schoolcraft Township Planning Commission was held on Monday, November 6, at the Schoolcraft Township Hall commencing at 6:00 pm.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

David Aubry
Charles Bibart
Greg Feldmeier
Eric Jasiak
Len Jaworski
Dave Reno
Barry Visel

MEMBERS ABSENT:

OTHER ATTENDEES:

Supervisor Ulsh
Mike Henderson

Chairman Visel opened the meeting at 6:00 pm.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

A motion was made by Dave Aubry with support from Dave Reno to approve the agenda as issued.

Motion carried 7-0

MINUTES OF PRIOR MEETING:

A motion was made by Dave Reno and supported by Greg Feldmeier to approve the minutes of the meeting, without correction.

Motion carried 7-0

CITIZEN TIME ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS:

No items were discussed.

NEW BUSINESS

No items were discussed

OLD BUSINESS

a. Chickens

We are awaiting a draft of ordinance wording from our attorney reflecting previous discussions of the Commission.

b. Parking

The Commission discussed the draft wording for section 26.12 Parking Variation prepared by Chairman Visel and found it acceptable. It will be subject to a Public Hearing in the near future.

REPORT FROM THE TOWNSHIP BOARD

Trustee Feldmeier updated the Commission on activity of the Township Board including support of a liquor license, designating a private road on the Wiley property, and a burning ordinance update.

REPORT FROM THE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

No report was received.

MEMBER'S TIME AND TOWNSHIP ATTORNEY TIME

Len Jaworski discussed the development implications of designated private roads.

Charles Bibart queried the Commission on the advisability of adopting Brady Township dock length ordinance language to provide some relief for shallow water properties. Mike Henderson was present to discuss the Brady Township experience. Secretary Bibart will provide some updated language for consideration by the Commission.

Chairman Visel noted the upcoming meeting next Monday at the Vicksburg Library to discuss the potential planning and zoning aspects of solar energy installations.

Supervisor Ulsh provided notice of the Village of Schoolcraft's intent to update its Master Plan.

With no further business, Chairman Visel adjourned the meeting at 6:40 pm.

Respectfully Submitted
Charles Bibart
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