

**Charter Township of Ironwood
Planning Commission
Regular Meeting
January 17, 2019**

Call to Order: 6:00 p.m. The Regular Meeting was called to order with the Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call: Joe Kafczynski, Joe Rohde, Jason Hofstede, Marlene Saari- Mieloszyk, Darrin Kimbler, Bob Lynn, Sandy Lahtinen

Absent: Marlene Saari-Mieloszyk, (Bev Michaels substituted for Saari-Mieloszyk)

Also Present: LeRoy Johnson

Public Comment: none

Additions and/or Approval of Agenda: Motion by Rohde, seconded by Lynn to approve the agenda as presented. Motion carried.

Approval of December 13, 2018 Meeting Minutes: Motion by Kimbler, seconded by Rohde, to approve the December 13, 2018 meeting minutes as presented. Motion carried.

Zoning Administrator:

Monthly Report(s) -November, December, 2018 LeRoy Johnson

Zoning Board of Appeals safety manuals were given to ZBA board members, Johnson is instructing employees on safety laws. The year-end summary presented by Lahtinen will be added to the Zoning Administrators' reports and placed on file.

Motion by Kimbler, seconded by Lynn to approve the monthly reports and summaries and place them & Zoning Board of Appeals correspondence manuals on file. Motion carried.

Communications: none

New Business: Election of Officers - Rohde made a motion to keep all officers the same. Lahtinen declined the secretary officer position and nominated Saari-Mieloszyk for the position. Due to Saari-Mieloszyk's absence the motion for the nominations failed. Motion by Lyn, seconded by Kimbler to keep the Chairman and Vice-Chairman officers the same. All in favor, motion carried.

Motion by Kimbler, seconded by Lyn, to appoint Lahtinen ad-hoc secretary for the current meeting until we receive an answer from Saari-Mieloszyk. All in favor, Motion carried.

Old Business: Information on Medical Marijuana was discussed. A subcommittee was formed by the Board of Trustees to discuss Marijuana issues. Hofstede and Kimbler were appointed to that subcommittee.

The subcommittee of Hofstede, Saari-Mieloszyk, and Kimbler formed to do a comparison study of the 2012 Master Plan results vs. 2017 Master Plan Responses did not meet on 1/7/2019 at 5:30. The subcommittee did not set a date for their next meeting.

Public Comment: none

Adjournment/Schedule Next Meeting: Motion by Rohde, seconded by Kafczynski, to adjourn the meeting. All in favor. Meeting adjourned at 6:31 p.m. Next meeting, (public hearing), will be April 18th, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. Motion carried.

Jason Hofstede, Chairman

Sandy Lahtinen, Secretary