

HAWES TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES

December 07, 2021

Call to order: Meeting was called to order by Chairman, Cindi McGowen, at 6:00 pm with the Pledge of Allegiance, at the South Shore Fire Hall in Spruce, MI.

Roll Call: Chairman, Cindi McGowen, Vice-Chairman, Charles (Ed) Hanna, Regular Meeting Secretary, None, and Trustee, Patrick Smylie present .

Visitors/Guests: None

Approval of Minutes: Motion by Patrick Smylie that minutes of September 28th, 2021 be approved , motion 2nd by Vice Chairman, Ed Hanna . All approved. Motion carried.

Correspondence: None.

Old Business:

- Report on Zoning Board of Appeals – None
- Tri-Township Meeting minutes of October 17, 2019 amended.

New Business:

Trustee, Pat Smylie, updated PC with information from past Board meetings of October and November 2021, nothing to report as no meetings held.

No word on interest to fill 2 vacant secretary positions on Planning Commission

We discussed the clean copy of the final Hawes Ordinance provided by Denise Cline of NEMCOG tonight. All members felt it was okay. Tabled any final plan for now. To be continued later.

PC elections for 2022. Ed Hanna, vice-chair made motion for all to retain current positions and Pat Smylie, Trustee 2nd the motion. Motion carried.

PC set up Planning Commission meetings for 2022 to be on Tuesday's at 6pm on: January 25th, March 22nd, June 28th, September 27th and December 6th, 2022. These are subject to Hawes Board approval.

NOTE: may change a meeting date in order to add Hawes Public Hearing on adoption of new Hawes Township Ordinance.

At the October 19, 2021 Hawes Tri-Township Meeting it was mentioned about updating the Tri-Township 5 year Master Plan. We discussed it at this meeting and are deciding not to pursue at this time. Pat Smylie, Trustee, made a motion to not pursue updating this 5 year Master Plan at this time with Ed Hanna, Vice-Chair seconding it. Motion carried. Cindi McGowen will mention in minutes of Tri-Township meeting of October 21, 2021.

Calendar:

The next Planning Commission Meeting will be on Tuesday, January 25th, 2022 at 6pm.

The next Tri-Township Meeting will be on Thursday, April 22nd, 2022 at 7pm, at Alcona Township.

Adjournment: Pat Smylie, made a motion to adjourn our meeting, 2nd by Ed Hanna. All agreed. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:15 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Cindi McGowen, Planning Commission Chair and

Acting Recording Secretary on December 07th, 2021