



TOWAMENSING TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION

2019 MEETING MINUTES

Date: October 14, 2019

Time: 7:00 P.M.

Place: Towamensing Township Building

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call: Rick Mertz, Chairman; James Shafer, Vice-Chairman; Board Members - George White, Dave Beers, Connie Bieling - **Absent**, Dwight Eisenhauer - **Absent**, and Robert Ziegenfus; Jenny Cheng - **Absent**, Solicitor; Gregory Haas, Township Engineer; Carl Faust - **Absent**, Zoning/Code Enforcement Officer; Gina Sheckler, Secretary

Approval of Minutes:

Planning Commission Meeting Minutes from September 9, 2019 - Motion made by James, 2nd Rick AIF

Public Participation:

Karl Verren spoke of the amateur radio tower that he would like to put in at 175 Barbara Ave. Lehighton, PA 18235. The tower antenna is collapsible and would only be fully extended when being used. The planners recommended that the Zoning Hearing Board approve/grant the Special Exception for the installation of the amateur radio tower. Greg Haas asked that a formal letter be typed up by Township Secretary Gina Sheckler and sent to the Zoning Hearing Board explaining the recommendation from the Planners.

Old Business:

New Business:

Officials:

Zoning Officer: Report

Discussion:

Planners would like an email to let them know if a Board of Supervisors meeting date has been changed or cancelled.

Adjournment:

Meeting adjourned at 7:47 P.M. – Motion made by Robert, 2nd Rick AIF

Next Meeting: November 11, 2019

Respectfully Submitted,

Gina Sheckler

Secretary