

ONOTA TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION

MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING

August, 11, 2020

I. CALL TO ORDER

The regular meeting of the Planning Commission was called to order at 7 pm.

Present: Brian Mahoney, Brian Bresette, Vicky Ray, Erin Leahy Putvin, Michael Tarr, Bill Dunham

Absent: Fred Ivers

II. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

A motion was made to adopt the agenda as presented.

Motion: Brian Bresette

Support: Bill Dunham

Motion carried: 6-0

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A motion was made to approve the minutes of the 7-14-20 meeting as presented.

Motion: Brian Bresette

Support: Michael Tarr

Motion carried: 6-0

IV. REPORTS

A. Zoning Administrator:

Absent

B. Township Board Representative: Brian Bresette

1. There are two applicants for Zoning Administrator. The Planning Commission reviewed the resumes of both applicants.
2. Dumpster roll off is scheduled for Friday September 18 at 10 am-4 pm and Saturday, September 19 at 10 am-4 pm
3. Interim Zoning Administrator, John Shauver measured the footings at Deer Lake lot. The measurements show that the footings of the single dwelling, new construction measure 17 1/2 feet from the property line and 19 feet from

V. CORRESPONDENCE

- A. CUPPAD sent a list of current construction projects from MDOT

VI. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- A. Mike Tietjen and Terry Pihlainen spoke with the man on Section Five Road concerning the illegal campground. The man was told to cease. If he does not cease, the Planning

Commission recommends that the Onota Township Board pursue a legal action on this property owner.

VII. COMMISSION CONCERNS

- A. Mike Tarr questioned why the road commission does not improve Whitefish Rd. It is in deplorable condition. Brian Bresette recommended that community members need to show concern at the Alger County Road Commission meetings. Explore options including demanding an effort on the Road Commission's part or pursuing an estimate for grinding the current road. Alger County Road Commission meetings are currently held the first and third Monday of each month at 4 pm

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting at 7:23 pm.

Motion: Michael Tarr

Support: Vicky Ray

Motion carried: 6-0

Respectfully Submitted,

Erin Leahy Putvin

Planning Commission Secretary