Portland Township Planning Commission Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, June 2, 2021

Cindy Selden called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Roll was taken by Sue Van Lente:

Present: Cindy Selden, Sue Vanlente, Tony Dixon, Evelyn Walkington-Jensen, and Andrew Huhn.

Absent: Ross Schneider and Marcy Lav

Approval of Minutes: Motion by Tony Dixon, seconded by Andy Huhn to approve the minutes from the last meeting..

All were in favor.

Public Comments: None

Old Business: None

New Business:

Election of Officers

President: Cindy Selden nominated by Sue Vanlente, seconded by Evelyn Walkington-Jensen. All in favor Vice President: Ross Schneider nominated by Cindy Selden, seconded by Sue Vanlente. All in favor. Secretary: Sue Vanlente nominated by Cindy Selden, seconded by Andy Huhn. All in favor.

Amendments to Solar Energy Ordinance

After discussion, motion was made to change the minimum acreage for a small-scale solar energy system from two acres to one acre (3-140, L, 7, vii) and to change the setback requirements to match those of accessory buildings instead of principal buildings (3-140, L, 7, i, aa). Motion by Cindy Selden, seconded by Tony Dixon, all were in favor. A Public Hearing will be scheduled.

Planning Commission Member Comments N/A

Future Meetings: The next regular meetings will be held September 1, at 7:00 p.m. at the Township Hall.

Motion was made by Tony Dixon, seconded by Evelyn Walkington-Jensen to adjourn the meeting at 7:18 p.m. All were in favor

Respectfully submitted by Sue Van Lente, Secretary.