## **BAINBRIDGE TOWNSHIP**

# Planning Commission Meeting May 21, 2018

The meeting was called to order at 7:02 p.m. by Co- Chairman, D. Kreitner at the Bainbridge Township Hall, 7315 Territorial Road, Watervliet, MI.

#### Roll Call:

• **Present:** G. Grear, D. Kreitner, J. Doroh, D. Baiers, R. Bjes with M. Morlock arriving at 7:03p.m. **Absent:** C. LaSata

#### **Public Comment:**

Opened: 7:04 p.m. Closed: 7:11 p.m.
Kessinger 2489 Park Road who had a house fire, requested how to proceed to put in a temporary dwelling until his house is rebuilt. Chairman directed him to contact Zoning Administrator for a 30 day permit.
G. Margolis stated there are 10 to 16 cars at all times on the property on Napier where the Zoning Board Appeals granted a permit to operate a repair garage. He said this is an improper location for that business. He requested the permit be revoked.
Wilke Clearwater Meats requested how to proceed to obtain permission to have a market on property currently owned by Marathon on Napier. Chairman directed him to contact

#### **Approval of Minutes& Agenda:**

the Zoning Administrator.

Motion by D. Baiers / J. Doroh to approve Minutes of the March 19, 2018 meeting.
 Motion Carried

### **Approval of Agenda**:

Motion by G. Grear / D. Baiers to approve Agenda as written.

**Motion Carried** 

#### **Reports:**

- No reports from Board or from ZBA
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### **Public Hearing Opened 7:14 PM:**

 Mr. Zabadal presented the board with the actual sign that he would install on the Southeast corner of Friday and Hill Road. He stated he has permission from the owner Jay Jollay.

## **Public Hearing Closed 7:18 PM:**

## **Regular Meeting Opened 7:18 PM:**

- Zabadal Off-Site Sign Motion by G. Grear / R. Bjes to approve 3' x 3' sign placed on Southeast corner of Friday and Hill Rds. giving directions to Moonrise Winery.
   Secretary called the roll: G. Grear, D. Kreitner, J. Doroh, D. Baiers, R. Bjes, M. Morlock Yes. No: None
   Motion Carried
- Chairman summarized the zoning ordinance review to date. They did need to do an additional review on some sections that were sent to them in the packets for the meeting.
- Event Venue to 6.15 accepted, with change to days of operation to Friday through Sunday.

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- Definition of Event Venue accepted as presented.
- Distillery definition accepted as presented.
- 5.12 Ag District Regulations accepted without change.
- 6.07 C.1 accepted without change.
- 12.05 B. accepted as presented.
- 6.14 A and B accepted as presented.
- 13.0 Appeals accepted with the following changes
  - o 13.04 A and B 30 to 45 days
  - o 13.05 A3 Strike
  - o 13.05 B1 Strike
  - o 13.05 C Strike particular hardships exist
  - o 13.05 C3 Strike
  - o 13.05 C4 change particular hardship to practical difficulty
  - o 13.05 E Strike unless and 1 through 4.
- 5.02 Removed 21 Event Venue from SLU
- 5.06 Removed Event Venue from permitted uses
- 5.09 Added Small Mechanic Shop to SLU
- Chairman reviewed spread sheet listing all changes. The following changes were made:
  - 7.03 Added R-1 Single Family Residential, R-2 Multiple Family Residential and RMH Residential Mobile Home Park. Removed "In subdivision developments"
  - o Definitions Parking second paragraph label Parking Space, Open Lot
  - o Definitions Sign, remove "is located, provided however that the following shall not be included in the application of the regulations herein:
  - o Definition Winery and Distillery remove "grown on the fa

### **Public Hearing Opened: 9:07 PM**

- John DeLapa felt we are opening up the whole township for a commercial operation if allowing event venues in all of the ag district. He has lived here for 32 years and there is not a sheriff department, who one would call to enforce to proposed noise level restrictions. Feels allowing event venues is problematic; noise, traffic, trash, enforcement issues. Asked how long permit was for. Zoning Administrator explained a SLU permit stays with the property. He also asked what would keep someone from buying property just to start event venues. Chairman explained that the definition proposed would eliminate that possibility.
- Gary Margolis asked if our attorney has contacted us regarding the property on Napier
  with the mechanic shop permit and when the new hearing was scheduled. Chairman
  informed him that this was not a matter before the Planning Commission and he should
  contact the supervisor.

#### **Public Hearing Closed: 9:26 PM**

• Motion by D. Kreitner / G. Grear to approve all changes/additions/corrections made to Ordinance 49Q. and forward to the County Planning Commission for review.

**Secretary called the roll:** G. Grear, D. Kreitner, J. Doroh, D. Baiers, R. Bjes, M. Morlock Yes. No: None

Motion Carried

#### Adjourn:

• Motion by G. Grear / J. Doroh to adjourn at 9:30 p.m.

**Motion Carried** 

Respectfully submitted,

Melissa Morlock, Secretary

All matters listed under the Consent Agenda are considered routine by the council and will be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items. If discussion of an item is required it will be removed from the Consent Agenda and considered separately.