These are the minutes of the September 1, 2009 Planning Commission meeting.

Meeting called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Chairman Shields.

Present: Shields, Boyles, Meyers, Heasley, Blakeslee, Berens. Also present were Mark Sisson and Bob Jones of PCI.

Absent: Oosterink

Meyers made a motion to approve the Aug. 6, 2009 minutes as presented with the correction of Meyers' title to Vice-Chairman, not Co-Chairman. Berens seconded, motion carried.

Public comment: none Conflict of interest: none

Township Board update: Boyles

Boyles made a motion to open the public hearing, Meyers seconded, motion carried.

The public hearing is for proposed zoning ordinance text amendments. Attached and included with these minutes is the Amendment to the Salem Township Zoning Ordinance draft #1-8-27-09. Mark Sisson reviewed each ordinance amendment/change with the PC and public. It was noted that the draft has been sent to the attorney for review.

After discussion, Berens made a motion to close the public hearing, Blakeslee seconded, motion carried.

Meyers then made a motion to approve said Amendment to the Salem Township Zoning Ordinance draft #1 dated 8-27-09 subject to attorney review/comments, Berens seconded, motion carried 6-0.

This amendment will be forwarded on to the County Planning Commission for approval.

Meyers made a motion to adjourn, Berens seconded, motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

Submitted by,

Cris Heasley Secretary Salem Twp. Planning Commission