

Salem Township Planning Commission

Minutes

December 1, 2016

Called to Order, Pledge of Allegiance. Present – Boerema, Boyles, Pitsch, Myers, Wagner, Oosterink. Absent with notice – Berens.

Approval of the Agenda – Motion by Boerema, seconded by Wagner – motion carried.

Approval of the November, 2016 minutes – Motion by Pitsch, seconded by Boerema – motion carried.

Inquiry of Conflict of Interest – none noted.

Township Board update – by Boyles. Addition of self-storage to Commercial – adopted. Master Plan – corrections and questions received. Parks Plan – tabled. Fence ordinance – adopted. Engine brake use prohibition - adopted. Road recommendations for 2017 – adopted. Two new personnel added to Fire Department.

Sign Ordinance – discussion –Grouped some zoning districts, Ag and R-1, R-2 and Village Residential, Village Commercial (alone), Commercial and Industrial. Discussed types of signs and sizes, increments for each group. To be reviewed and continued at next meeting.

Public Comment – none.

Other/Roundtable – 2017 Meeting dates viewed. Motion by Pitsch, seconded by Boerema to approve. Motion carried.

January 5	May 4	September 7
February 2	June 1	October 5
March 2	July 6	November 2
April 6	August 3	December 7

Master Plan corrections/additions from Supervisor/Township Board reviewed. Tabled until next meeting to insure accuracy.

Adjournment – motion by Wagner, seconded by Pitsch – motion carried. 8:33 pm.