



GALIEN TOWNSHIP

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Galien Township Planning Commission Regular Meeting August 6, 2019 7:30pm @ Galien Township Office Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 7:30pm

J. Richter led the Pledge of Allegiance

J. Richter swore in new PC member Scott Golden

Roll Call: Present- S. Golden, J. Rochman, J. Richter, C. Lorance, R. Riley. Absent- None

Public Comments: None

Amend/Approve Agenda: C. Lorance made a motion to approve the agenda with the following amendments. 1. Change Bertrand to Buchanan under New Business. 2. Change the 6th to the 3rd for our next meeting date. J. Rochman supported. Motion carried. No nays

Approval of Minutes-July 2nd: C. Lorance made a motion to approve the minutes as presented. J. Rochman supported. Motion carried. No nays

New Business:

- a. **Buchanan Township Master Plan Review/Discussion:** C. Lorance said he felt it is a good template and starting point but they have no vision for moving forward. We need to be sure to include future plans in ours. Tabled until 9-3-2019

Unfinished Business:

- a. **Master Plan-Discuss Project Tracker/Necessary Updates:** We can hold workshops as long as there are no votes cast, discussion only. We need to start with a template and discuss what we like and dislike and move forward from there. Who will be in charge of creating the MP document? We will hold a workshop 9-4-2019 at 7:30pm to discuss moving forward with the MP. C. Lorance will check with Liz to make sure we have the most up to date project tracker. The MP survey results have begun to come in. There were a couple errors found in the survey which J. Mast has corrected. After some discussion it was decided to try and mail the 29 addresses that were rejected but still appear to live in the township with the corrected addresses. There are 77 MP surveys completed to date.
- b. **Medical Marihuana:** No update
- c. **Baer Farms:** No update



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Public Comments:

Steve Ratcliff: Steve said that the flags have been set for the driveway and that they currently have 2 greenhouses with 3000 industrial hemp plants inside.

Our next regular meeting is September 3, 2019

C. Lorange made a motion to adjourn the meeting. J. Rochman supported. Motion carried. No nays

The meeting was adjourned at 8:21pm