Minutes of the Meeting of the Marion Township Planning Commission
December 6, 2016

Present: Matthew Wensel, Christie Holloway, John Dillon and Louise Biancuzzo

Guests: Mark Holloway, Archie Gettig

Public comment: Archie thanked Matthew Wensel for all he has done for the township and being on the Planning Commission.

The meeting was called to order at 7:34 by Wensel with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Dillon made a motion to approve the minutes of the Marion Township Planning Commission meeting of November 1, 2016. Wensel seconded the motion. All voted in favor of the motion.

Old Business: Non-Commercial Keeping of Livestock ordinance - The letter from Louis Glantz suggesting two revisions to the draft ordinance was looked at and discussed. Section 5: Permitting Process the application fee payable to the Township was discussed and it was determined to type in an amount of $25.00 to $50.00 with a ? as the fee could range from anywhere of $25.00 to $50.00.

Archie will speak with Angel about typing up this ordinance in final form for a March approval.

New Business: Wensel shared information from the NVJPC meeting. Wensel said the next meeting is here at Marion Township in January on the third Thursday.

Wensel said Benner Township is rewriting their zoning completely. It was discussed at NVJPC that the goals are being set to work on emergency management and public utilities - dry hydrants. There was discussion on these issues.

Dillon made a motion that the township do research and develop dry hydrants in this township and possible agreements with residents. Wensel seconded the motion. All voted in favor of the motion.

Dillon made a motion to recommend to the Supervisors that they look into the township rewriting an ordinance to help the fire companies re-coop money for emergency calls and incidents. Wensel seconded the motion. All voted in favor of the motion.

Both of these motion topics were discussed by the NVJPC.

Wensel made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:23 p.m.

Respectfully submitted:

Louise Biancuzzo, Secretary
Marion Township Planning Commission

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Matthew Wensel, Chairman

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Christie Holloway, Vice Chairman

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Rick Dillon