

## THORN TOWNSHIP ZONING COMMISSION

**Zoning Members Present:**

Joe Blaine  
Mark Huggins  
Brad Blain  
Diane White  
Deborah Morgan, Zoning Secretary

**Guests Present: None**

**Meeting:**

Date: 12/12/2016  
Time: 6:00 p.m.  
Location: Thorn Township Building

The December regular zoning meeting was called to order by Chairman Joe Blaine by saying the Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag. Roll call was taken and all members were present except for Wayne Gniewkowski and alternate Tom Green.

The minutes of the October 2016 regular zoning commission meeting were presented. Mark Huggins made a motion to accept and approve the minutes as presented, Brad Blain seconded the motion. The motion passed by a unanimous vote of members present.

A brief discussion was held on signage language of the current zoning resolution and Chairman Blaine stated that he would type up a list of some of his recommendations to bring to a meeting for discussion. It was also decided that other area zoning resolutions would be reviewed to see what others are doing in certain areas of zoning. Mark Huggins stated that he would get a copy of Heath's regulations and Brad Blain stated that he would obtain a copy of Somerset's.

There was nothing new to report on the comprehensive plan, it was reported that the attorney and the individual working on the comprehensive plan was delayed in finishing, as they were working on another project for the Township. Further discussion was held on future zoning plans for the Township and the interest that the Trustees have in the zoning of the Township. A brief discussion was also held concerning the damn work on Buckeye Lake.

The yearly organizational meeting will take place just before the January regular zoning meeting of the New Year. This meeting will decide the 2017 Chairman, and any meeting time changes, etc. The date for this meeting will be January 9, 2017 at 6:00 P.M.

After no further business the meeting was adjourned by Joe Blaine at 6:35 p.m.

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Joe Blaine, Chairman

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Deborah Morgan, Secretary