FERGUSON TOWNSHIP ZONING HEARING BOARD Organizational Meeting Tugeday, January 23, 2018

Tuesday, January 23, 2018 7:00 pm

I. ATTENDANCE

The Zoning Hearing Board held its organizational meeting on Tuesday, January 23, 2018 at the Ferguson Township Municipal Building. In attendance were:

Board:

Staff:

Michael Twomley Karen English

Jeffery Ressler, Zoning Administrator Jeffery Stover, ZHB Solicitor

Swamy Anatheswaran, absent

Susan Buda

Michael MacNeely

Charles Farrell, Alternate

Irene Miller, Alternate

Marc Friedenberg, Alternate

Others in attendance included: Marcella Bell, Recording Secretary, Ray Stolinas, Planning & Zoning Director; Dwight Ferguson, TTD Validity Challenge; Charles Suhr, TTD Validity Challenge; Derek Anderson, TTD Validity Challenge; Peter Crowley, TTD Validity Challenge; Michael Pratt, TTD Validity Challenge; Joseph Green, TTD Validity Challenge, Lindsay Schoch, TTD Validity Challenge; Patrick Donovan and Wesley Shumman

II. CALL TO ORDER

Mr. Twomley called the Tuesday, January 23, 2018 organizational meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

III. ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Mr. Ressler opened nominations for Chairman of the Zoning Hearing Board.

Ms. English nominated Mr. Twomley to serve as chairman of the Board. Ms. Buda seconded the nomination. The motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Twomley opened nominations for Vice-Chairman of the Zoning Hearing Board.

Ms. Buda nominated Ms. English to serve as Vice-Chairman of the Board. Mr. MacNeely seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Twomley opened the nominations for Secretary of the Zoning Hearing Board.

Ms. English nominated Ms. Buda to serve as Secretary of the Board.

Mr. MacNeely seconded the motion. Ms. Buda nominated Mr. MacNeely to serve as Secretary of the Board. Ms. English seconded the motion.

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Ms. Buda withdrew from her nomination as Secretary of the Board.

The motion carried unanimously to appoint Mr. MacNeely as the Secretary of the Board.

IV. SELECTION OF MEETING DATES AND TIMES FOR 2017.

Mr. Twomley stated that the Zoning Hearing Board typically meets the fourth Tuesday of the month, with exception to holidays. There was a discussion regarding the meeting dates for November and December, since the meeting dates fall on or too close to a holiday. There was a consensus to change the November meeting to the 20th and the December meeting to the 18th.

Mr. Twomley made a motion to keep the Zoning Hearing Board meetings on the fourth Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m., aside from the November and December meeting dates. The motion carried unanimously.

V. ADJOURNMENT

The organizational meeting adjourned to the regular meeting.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

Michael MacNeely

For the Zoning Hearing Board

Date approved by the Board: 2-20-13