

**Hamilton Township  
Planning Commission Minutes of 9-6-2023**

Meeting called to Order by Kelly Bennett at 6:30 PM and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited

**Roll Call Attendance:**

Present: Kelly Bennett, Mike Conway, Jesse Fritz and Linda Barkell

Absent: Marsha McKee

Guests: 0

Staff: Melissa Townsend, Zoning Administrator

**Approval of the Agenda:** Agenda reviewed by all present and Motion by Conway and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Bennett to approve the agenda as written. All in favor, M/C.

**Approval of the Minutes:** Barkell read the minutes of 8-2-2023 to all present and motion by Fritz and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Bennett to approve the minutes as written with corrections. All in favor, M/C,

**Public Comments:** none

**Zoning Administrators report:** Melissa turned in a written report. Copy of her report is in the minute's cabinet.

**New Business:** We had a discussion about the State of Michigan's Fireworks Act and there are a few questions. Do we want to restrict Fireworks on certain holidays? Special Occasions? Discussed 11:45 PM being the stop/cut off time for fireworks. Should a Permit be required? This is still a WIP. Reviewed another draft of the Wedding Venue Ordinance. One more word change and final draft will be ready for the public hearing to be set at a later date. Reviewed the proposed "Spiller Pays Recovery" Ordinance. We will table until the Board meeting.

Bennett asked if we could change the next PC meeting to Wednesday, October 11, 2023 as she has a conflict. All agreed.

**Old Business:** none

Adjournment: Motion by Conway and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Bennett to adjourn at 7:40 PM. All in favor, M/C.

**Next PC meeting is: Wednesday, October 11, 2023 at 6:30 PM. Note regular meeting on Oct 4, 2023 is rescheduled.**

Linda Barkell  
Secretary