

Wright Township Planning Commission
SPECIAL MEETING
November 2nd, 2009
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Chairman Dausman called the meeting to order at 7:32 PM and opened the meeting with the pledge and prayer. He reminded the audience not to park in the spaces reserved for the firemen. Members present: Karr, Dausman, VanDyke, and Westgate.

One guest was present: Greg Yeomans of Cox Medendorp Olson Architects Inc
4804 Cascade Rd SE, GR, MI 49546

Additions to the Agenda: There were no additions to the agenda.

Approval of the August 17th, 2009 Reg. Session Minutes: Karr addressed a needed correction to Agenda Item #6 (originally agenda item #7) by striking the last 2 initials, RD and to end the sentence with; signed by Supervisor Becker with acknowledgement of the PC Chair, Richard Dausman. VanDyke motioned to amend the August 2009 PC minutes as stated above, seconded by Westgate, motion passed.

Public Comments for Items not on the Agenda: none

Site Plan Review for St. Mary's Church Marne-Addition to the Activity Hall:

Greg Yeomans presented the Site Plan for Review – Addition to the multi purpose room for classrooms, new entry, new barrier free bathroom, sprinkler system, electrical service, etc. Lights poles and fixtures were described. Other improvements included interior ceilings and floors. Karr stated that he is a member of St Mary's Church and was on the original committee, but is not involved with any of the current committees. Parking lot lighting was discussed at length. Member VanDyke moved that the walkway to the church parking lot shall have adequate lighting, to be determined by Cox Medendorp Olson, seconded by Karr, motion carried. Letter from Greg Yeomans accepted as response to questions from Tim Johnson (MainStreet Planning Co) Moved by Westgate, seconded by Karr to approve the Site Plan Review with the lighting addition. Motion carried.

Conflict of Interest Forms: Conflict of Interest forms were discussed and agreed upon. Karr will provide forms to each PC member for their signature.

Zoning Ordinance Update: Zoning Ordinance updates were discussed. The PC members acknowledged receiving the ZO updates by email. They will contact the Township office if a hard copy is desired.

Planning Commission Member Concerns: No pressing concerns were brought up.

Adjournment: Westgate motioned to adjourn at 8:24 PM, seconded by VanDyke, motion carried.

Minutes recorded by: PC member, Gary Karr
Respectfully typed by: Rebecca L. Boersma
Recording Secretary, Wright Township Planning Commission

C: Wright Township Board Members
Tim Johnson, Main Street by e-mail
Planning members: Dausman, Karr, Ruwersma, VanDyke, Westgate, Secretary, Boersma

