

Birmingham Township Planning Commission (BTPC)
Minutes of the meeting January 12, 2021

The regular meeting of the BTPC was called to order by Ms. McCarthy at 7:30pm via Zoom.

PRESENT: Scott Garrison, MaryPat McCarthy, Brendan Murphy, David Shields

ABSENT: Eric Hawkins

Also present: Kim Venzie

Mr. Murphy made a motion to approve the October 13, 2020 minutes. Motion was seconded by Mr. Garrison and it passed unanimously.

Reorganization of Committee for 2021

Ms. Venzie offered to start the Organizational meeting until the Chairperson is nominated and then they can take over the meeting.

Mr. Garrison made a motion nominating Mary Pat McCarthy as Chairperson again. There were no additional nominations. Mr. Murphy made a motion to nominate Mary Pat McCarthy as Chairperson and Mr. Shields seconded and it passed unanimously. Ms. McCarthy took over the organizational meeting at this point.

Mr. Shields made a motion to nominate Mr. Murphy as the Vice Chairperson again. Mr. Garrison seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

Mr. Shields made a motion to nominate Mr. Garrison as the HARB liaison. Mr. Murphy seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

Following is the PC slate for 2021:

Chairperson: Mary Pat McCarthy

Vice Chairperson: Brenden Murphy

HARB liaison: Scott Garrison

Ms. McCarthy noted for the group that Ms. Venzie is the new Planning Commission legal liaison as Frone Crawford, Esquire retired.

New Business/Public Comment:

Ms. McCarthy asked if anyone is aware of any upcoming topics or issues that the PC should be pro-active in addressing – like the 5G that was just reviewed last year.

Ms. Venzie noted that there is a potential issue with the HARB boundaries and they are reviewing that currently. At some point this will come to the PC.

Motion to adjourn the meeting was made at 7:55pm by Mr. Murphy and seconded by Mr. Garrison and approved unanimously. Next meeting is scheduled for February 9, 2021.

Respectfully submitted,
Jennifer A. Boorse
PC Secretary