

Minutes

April 10, 2007
Zoning Board of Adjustment
Shamong Township
Shamong, NJ

This meeting of the Shamong Township Zoning Board of Adjustment is being held in accordance with the Open Public Meeting Act, known as the "Sunshine Law".

President Paul Lockrey called the meeting to order at 8:08 pm.

Roll Call of Members

Present: Ed Bader, Noni Bookbinder Bell, Roy Knight, John Pickens, Martin Mozitis, and Paul Lockrey
Pat Sutton (Secretary).

Absent: Edward Moniot (alternate 2), Dave Matchett (alternate 1) and Ted Rosenberg (Solicitor)

A motion was made and seconded to dispense with the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, held January 9, 2007.

Old Business: None

New Business: PL mentioned that the scheduled hearing for applicant Steve Scales was continued to May 8, 2007.

PL then opened the discussion regarding the three applicants for membership on the ZB: Dean Gaul, Aldyth Keith, and George Laporte. All members offered opinions in favor or not in favor of the candidates.

During the discussion JP mentioned he has just bought a house in Tabernacle and would move in June. At that point PL made a motion to recommend both Mrs Keith and Dean Gaul as members. There was no second.

MM made a motion to recommend Dean Gaul as the candidate and delay a decision on JP's replacement until he leaves. PL seconded the motion. The motion was carried unanimously.

RK wants to have an engineer hired for the Board's use because they have lost cases by not having enough engineering knowledge. He suggested asking someone from an engineering firm in Hammonton, He will visit the firm and see if they are interested. Others agreed.

RK made the motion to adjourn, MM was the second. The meeting was adjourned about 9:15 PM.

Respectfully submitted,
Pat Sutton, Secretary